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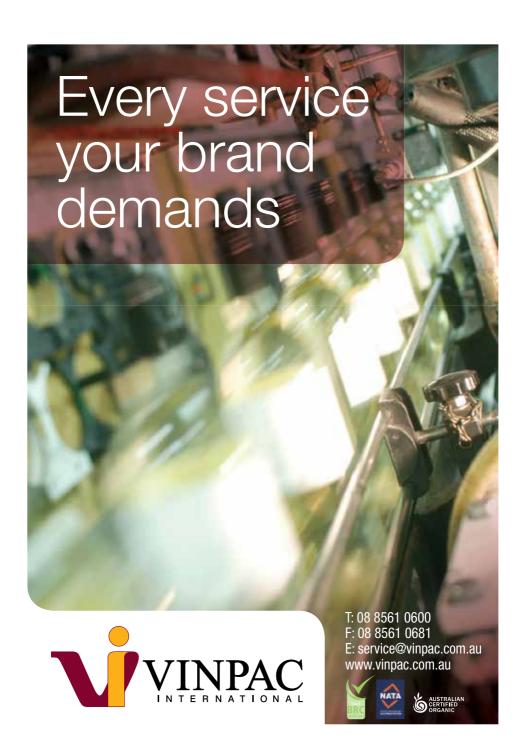
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OBJECTIVES

- · To educate, encourage communication and fine tune our wine styles by focusing on absolute quality.
- To promote the zone and the regions within.
- To promote interest in the quality of wine made from grapes grown in the zone and the regions.

GOALS

- · To educate producers within the region.
- To fine tune and evolve the wine styles.

GENERAL ENQUIRIES

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17th ANNUAL LIMESTONE COAST WINE SHOW 2017

LIMESTONE COAST WINE SHOW JUDGING

Monday 23rd, Tuesday 24th & Wednesday 25th October, 2017

LIMESTONE COAST WINE SHOW TROPHY JUDGING

Thursday, 26th October, 2017

LIMESTONE COAST WINE SHOW TROPHY PRESENTATION DINNER

Thursday, 26th October, 2017

(Padthaway)

EXHIBITORS TASTINGS & PUBLIC TASTINGS

Friday, 27th October 2017

Exhibitor Tasting 9am - 1.30pm

Public Tasting 11.30am - 1.30pm (\$15 admission including Results Book)

Results Book - \$10

(Coonawarra Hall)

2017 COMMITTEE

Gerard Coote Sarah Pidgeon Ulrich Grey-Smith
Tony Lees Angela Pomery Bruce Gregory

Trent Nankivell Susie Harris

2017 JUDGES

Jane FaulknerWendy CameronJulian Langworthy(Chief of Judges)Emma NorbiatoJeremy Prideaux

Sarah Ahmed (UK)

2017 ASSOCIATE JUDGES

Alice Baker Lauren Hansen
Amy Blackburn Sean Murphy



FROM THE COUNCIL CHAIR

Vintage 2017 saw a very cool season, with rising yields in some varieties from the rain events and rising disease-pressure, together making vintage decisions difficult. Despite the vintage total crush for the Limestone Coast being up at 127,000 tonnes, some fruit was not harvested, especially in cooler vineyards. The regional post vintage tastings showed a lot of good wines were made this year. Good news also this year is the situation with Chardonnay is starting to shift, with the impact of vineyard removals in irrigated areas beginning to effect supply/demand.

Demand for bulkwines into China and demand for higher quality wine from leading export companies has seen continued improvement in trading conditions with China our leading export destination by dollars at \$853 million of sales, with USA at \$461 and the UK at \$349, with total exports up to \$2.44 billion. The increase in exports to China from last Octobers figures at \$300 million , has been both at lower price points and significantly at the higher price points of \$30 and above. This has undoubtedly been good for the Limestone Coast and we can only hope the dollar stays in the critical 0.7-0.8 USD band so these exports can continue. Winters rains have been good and flushing and recharge this year will set the vineyards up for a good season.

Also of note this year is the Australian Research Council funding of a large research project at the Naracoorte Caves in Wrattonbully. This project will examine the 500,000 year fossil record in the caves and use up to date techniques to more precisely date these strata, document climate change over this period, and more precisely map the caves. This project is worth just under \$2 million dollars and involves 40 senior scientists plus their students. A world heritage listed tourist attraction into megafauna will be a welcome reason for more tourists to come to the Limestone Coast.

I would also like to pay tribute to Colin Kidd who passed away this year. Colin was a Patron of Coonawarra, who started in Coonawarra in 1965 both running the vineyards and in 1968-1972 the Rouge Homme winery as well. Colin oversaw the establishment of the now famous Limestone Ridge and St George vineyards as well as a large vineyard area in Padthaway, and latterly in his career, new trial sites in Mount Benson. Colin continued to live in Penola , when National vineyard manager for Lindemans, eventually retiring to Adelaide.

Council Activities this year.

The Tech committee chaired by Kerry de Garis, has secured regional funding for 2017-2018 projects. Including; contributing to funding winemaking for the Coonawarra Cabernet rootstock trial, (which did not happen in vintage 2017), an Alternative varieties study for Coonawarra and Wrattonbully, a Technology for vineyards project, a nutrition in vineyards project and the recently conducted snail / earwig workshop.

The Tech committee has also secured funding from Wine Australia for an Incubator project into Berry Shrivel in Cabernet Sauvignon in the Limestone Coast that will be conducted by Dr Vinay Pagay of the University of Adelaide with a project value of \$68,000.

We are also continuing to fund Eutypa research spore traps with SARDI.

Ben Harris also managed to gain funds from PIRSA to make our Unearthing Viticulture online document more user friendly, for downloading individual regional information and improving regional soil maps. This work is due for completion shortly.

The SA Parliamentary Inquiry into unconventional gas handed down its report in November 2016, recommending unconventional gas exploration not proceed in the South East, due to lack of social

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licence and questions around well integrity over time, and accidental spills. The Wetherill government however has continued to pursue aas exploration by releasing 5 new Petroleum Exploration Licences (PELs), with \$20 million of exploration funding. These licences surround Coonawarra and go across to Robe.

Beach Energy has received \$6 million of govt funding to use conventional drilling techniques on the Haselgrove-3 well currently being drilled, just outside the Coonawarra G.I. Total royalties received by the govt for gas in the last 100 years in the SE is \$11 million, so half of this income has been returned to industry for one well.

Stuart Sharman on behalf of the council continues to co-operate with Primary Producers SA, Potato growers and Horticulture representatives, the AWRI, WGCSA, SAWIA and other lobby groups to advocate against the use of Fracking in the Limestone Coast.

This year is the 17th Limestone Coast Wineshow with Jane Faulkner returning as chair of judges and Sarah Ahmed -The Wine Detective from the UK our international Judge for 2017 and 4 new judges Julian Langworthy- Deep Woods, Wendy Cameron MW -consultant, Emma Norbiato -Calabria Family Wines, and Jeremy Prideaux from the City Wineshop in Melbourne, making up our team of Judges. I would also like to thank all the Judges for giving up their time to come and Judge the show.

I would like to thank the Sponsors who support the show and make it possible and also I would like to acknowledge all the volunteers effort to bring the wine-show to fruition and bring the Limestone Coast wine community together for a celebration of the wines from our regions, and in particular the committee members and their employers who work all year to make the show work.

Pete Bissell | Chair - Limestone Coast Grape and Wine Council October 2017

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SHOW REGULATIONS

EXHIBITORS ARE REQUESTED TO READ THE REGULATIONS CAREFULLY. IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE EXHIBITOR TO ENSURE ENTRIES ARE CORRECT.

1. Entering

- 1.1. Open to any producer who sources fruit from the Limestone Coast Zone. The Limestone Coast includes all regions within the Limestone Coast Zone of South Australia (see map on inside back cover). See Regulation 1.6
- 1.2. All entries shall be 85% or greater Limestone Coast and must conform to the Australian Wine and Brandy Corporation (AWBC) 'Label Integrity Program' (LIP).
- 1.3. An on-line entry fee of \$50 including GST per entry must accompany application for entry. A \$55 (inc GST) must accompany paper entries; these entry fees are non-refundable.
- 1.4. Each entry shall consist of five 750ml or equivalent samples [eight (8) 375ml in class 6].
- 1.5. Call Backs: Exhibitors winning trophies, awards and gold medals may be asked to provide additional commercially labelled samples. These bottles are to be delivered within one month of the end of the wine show. Labelled wines are required as the samples are used to promote the winning wines at future Wine Show dinners and tastings. If wines are unlabelled at the time of the request, arrangements for later deliveries can be made on a case by case basis. Call backs are;
 - 1.5.1. Major Trophy 24 by 750ml.
 - 1.5.2. Trophy or Award 18 by 750ml.
 - 1.5.3. Selected Gold 12 by 750ml.
 - 1.5.4. For the Provenance Trophy, only the current vintage wine will be requested for 18 by 750ml.
- 1.6. Medals may only be claimed in the name under which the wine was entered. Wines should be entered under a principal wine brand, where the wines entered reflect the label and not be under a parent or subsidiary brand. It is a requirement that the wines are entered into a class which most reflects how they are or will be commercially labelled.
- 1.7. All Entries shall bear labels supplied by the Wine Show Committee. Both unlabelled and commercially labelled wines will be accepted. The Wine Show label should not obscure the commercial labels if possible.



- 1.8. Entries in the Museum classes 13 & 14 shall be commercially labelled & dressed as well as bear the Wine Show label supplied. The Wine Show label should not obscure the commercial labels if possible.
- 1.9. Exhibits are to be packed in cartons clearly stating the exhibitor's name and class numbers in that carton. The wine show committee will supply bottle labels, detailing class number, entry number, vintage and varietal composition and whether the wine is bottled or not. Please avoid using polystyrene packaging, we prefer cardboard.
- 1.10. Any entries not paid for, incorrectly labelled, or received outside of the allocated delivery period will not be included.
- 1.11. A wine shall only be entered once in the show. With the exception of the Provenance Section (classes 7–12), where wines of the same label are entered as a group.
- 1.12. There is no limit to the number of entries, per exhibitor, in each class
- 1.13. Minimum litres per class as listed: (at time of entry).

Sparkling Wine *	1,2,3,4,5	450L (50 dozen) *
Sweet Wine *	6	450L (50 dozen) *
Provenance *	7,8,9,10,11,12	45L (5 dozen) *
Museum *	13,14	45L (5 dozen) *
White classes	15,16,17,18,19,20	1350L (150 dozen)
Rosé classes	21	1350L (150 dozen)
Red classes	22,23,24,25,26,27,28,29, 30,31,32,33,34,35,36	1350L (150 dozen)
Individual Vineyard Wines Trophy	Most classes, see 1.13.4	1350L (150 dozen)
Experimental Small Batch Wines Award *	All Classes	Maximum produced 1350L (150 dozen); minimum holding of 225L (25 dozen) *

- 1.13.1. Individual Vineyard Wines trophy** [Most classes (see 1.13.4)]
- 1.13.2.*Note: wines entered in these classes will not be eligible for 2nd tier and 3rd tier trophies.
- 1.13.3. Although judged with the regular classes, exhibits entered as small batch and experimental will only be eligible for the stand alone small batch trophy.
- 1.13.4. **Note: for Individual Vineyard Wines Trophy all-Sparkling, Sweet, Provenance and Museum classes have stock limitations are not eligible for this trophy.



2. Judging

- 2.5. Judges shall not at any time prior to the announcement of results have access to the identity of exhibits.
- 2.6. Judges will use either the 20 point or 100 point scale as agreed by the Chief of Judges and Wine Show Committee, with results published for all wines. Tank samples or unbottled/unfinished wines will receive points only and are not eligible for medals or awards trophies with the exception of the Experimental Small Batch Award. See regulation 3.4.
- 2.7. The Order in which classes are judged is at the discretion of the Chief of Judges.
- 2.8. ASVO best practice judging shall be referenced and followed [http://www.asvo.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2016/01/ASVO-2015-BPR.pdf].

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3. Trophies & Awards

- 3.1. For an overview of trophies and hierarchy refer to p.5 Trophy Flow Hierarchy.
- 3.2. The Arthur Hoffmannn Trophy for Best Viticulturist of Show and travel bursary, will be presented to the nominated viticulturist for the Bill Redman Trophy for Best Wine of Show. Nominations are part of the entry form and should reflect a strong link to the wine. It is expected the travel bursary be used for/toward an international field trip to be within 2 years of it being presented. Where more than one viticulturist has been involved in growing grapes for a wine, one viticulturist must be nominated on the entry form for the purposes for granting the travel bursary. Winemakers or proprietors are not accepted by the committee as substitutes for nomination, and if a name cannot be provided for a winning wine, the trophy and travel bursary will be withheld.
- 3.3 3.3.1 There will be a trophy for the Best Individual Vineyard Wine. For an exhibit to be considered as an INDIVIDUAL VINEYARD it shall be from a NAMED single block or vineyard clearly referred to on the commercial label (front or back) that reflects the link between site and label. The individual block or vineyard shall be a single site continuous and defined. The wine shall be 85% or greater from this site. For an exhibit to considered for this trophy, a FORM 2 for each wine shall be completed with the required documents submitted by post or email at the time of entry. If paperwork is not received prior to judging, the committee will untick the Indvidual Vineyard box on the entry form.
 - 3.3.2 PLEASE NOTE: returning individual vineyard exhibitors may opt to use the VINEYARD REGISTER, whereby documentation shall be submitted at least once every three years, if no significant changes have been made to the wine label and/or vineyard block as defined on the label. If significant changes have occurred, paperwork as for 3.3.1 will be required. A different vintage year will be accepted.
- 3.4. There will be an opportunity to enter experimental small batch wines. Small batch is defined by the committee as where a maximum of 1350L (150 dozen) were produced and a minimum of 25 cases are in stock at time of entry. These will be judged with the regular exhibits and in the regular classes. The Panel Chair will be advised of the exhibit numbers of small batch wines within each

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- 3.4. (cont.) class once initial judging of the class is complete, in order to make decisions on the wine's merit to be put forward for this award. The award is designed to encourage experimentation, and may be given to the best wine that exhibits something new or innovative or is simply excellent. If a wine is entered as an experimental small batch at time of entry, it is not eligible for any award other than the experimental small batch award. The winning wine does not need to be a gold medal, and may or may not be a bottled wine. Small Batch wines shall not be entered in the Museum or Provenance classes (classes 7 to 14).
- 3.5. There will be an International Judges Award. Any labelled wine entered in the show is eligible for this award. The International Judge will determine the criteria for selection. The philosophy is to award a deserving wine that shows excellence but would not necessarily achieve status in the existing judging and trophy structure. The award will be presented along with the trophies and in similar fashion. Non bottled wines are excluded from this award.
- 3.6. There will be an award for The Chief of Judges wine to watch. This will be awarded to any wine of merit by the Chief of Judges. It does not need to be a gold medal wine and is a stand alone award. Non bottled wines are excluded from this award.
- 3.7. The most successful exhibitor trophy will be awarded to the exhibitor who has achieved the highest aggregate score, from their top five or less scoring entries. No more than five exhibits shall be included for the calculation for this trophy. Non-bottled wines points and Provenance Classes 7-12 are excluded from this calculation.
- 3.8. Wines entered for Provenance Trophies will be judged as a stand-alone group or section. Exhibitors will be asked to enter 3 wines of the same label, one of current vintage, one of between 5 years and 9 years older than current vintage and one of at least 10 years older than current vintage. Wines will be judged as a group of three. Provenance is designed to recognise and celebrate wines of exceptional consistency of style and quality over time. The label is the winner, not a particular vintage. Exhibits entered into the Wine of Provenance classes may also be entered in an Open Class.



4. Protocols

- 4.1. All exhibits become the property of the Limestone Coast Wine Show.
- 4.2. Condition of entry that exhibitors agree to abide by the consequences of the wine show auditing process.
- 4.3. The Committee shall audit exhibits as per ASVO Wine Show Project Reference Group recommendations. (refer ASVO BPR 2015 section 4.7).
 - 4.3.1. Labelling Integrity Program (LIP) paper-trail compliance.
 - 4.3.2. Minimum stock at time of entry.
 - 4.3.3. Will be asked on entry to nominate address or warehouse where stock can be inspected and audited, as inspection of stock may form part of audit process.
 - 4.3.4. Pre-Judging and post-judging audits (refer ASVO BPR 2015 4.7.3).
 - 4.3.5. The audit process may be conducted by an internal or external auditor.
- 4.4 The Committee's decision shall be final.



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THE TROPHIES

THE BILL REDMAN TROPHY FOR BEST WINE OF SHOW

Bill Redman is considered to be one of the pioneers for the region's wine industry. His first vintage was at John Riddoch's winery in Coonawarra in 1901 and he was appointed head cellar person at the age of 19 and learnt the craft of winemaking from Ewen Ferausson McBain.

In 1909 Redman entered into an agreement with Douglas A Tolley to make wine from the Redman family vineyard in hogsheads supplied by Tolley. This arrangement continued for 10 years with most of the wine being exported to Britain. Bill Redman subsequently made wine in bulk primarily for Woodley Wines until the 1950's, The wine was said to be a lighter bodied 'claret' style aged in large casks for at least 2 years. Bill oversaw all the winemaking in Coonawarra from 1946 to 1951.

In the early 1950's Bill started to supply wine to several wines companies such as Hardy, Yalumba, Leo Buring, Woodley and Chateau Reynella.

In 1952 Bill established Rouge Homme and the first wine to appear under his own label was the 1953 Rouge Homme Claret. Bill retired in 1954 however he remained involved with Rouge Homme until its sale in 1965 and subsequently Redman Wines until his death in 1979.

THE DAVID WYNN TROPHY FOR BEST RED WINE OF SHOW

It is evident David Wynn saw that it was not enough just to make great wine, but that a concerted marketing effort would be required for Australians to accept table wines as part of their lives.

David's father, Samuel Wynn, was a successful Melbourne wine merchant and was familiar with the attributes of Coonawarra. However when the opportunity arose to purchase Chateau Comaum (the old Riddoch winery) and vineyards, Samuel was not convinced it would be a good viticultural investment, largely due to a report indicating the property would be unviable for wine production. David was not as cautious as his father and courageously went ahead with the purchase.

Securing the help of Ian Hickinbotham, Wynn's main aim was to combine the wines produced with "an advertising campaign in Melbourne to make Coonawarra famous. People when thinking of Claret, would then think of Coonawarra". What ensued was the distinctive branding of Wynns Coonawarra Estate and its position in the market as one of the first quality wines of Australia.



THE COLIN KIDD TROPHY FOR BEST WHITE WINE OF SHOW

Colin and his family arrived in Coonawarra soon after 1965 to take over from Philip Laffer at Rouge Homme and to continue Lindemans Vineyard Developments at Coonawarra and Padthaway. He was to preside over the 1968 to 1972 Rouge Homme Winery Vintages in addition to managing the company vineyards. Colin later became responsible nationally for Lindemans Vineyard Operations.

During his period in the Limestone Coast Colin presided over key developments including the Lindemans St. George and Limestone Ridge Vineyards, developing the Lindemans Padthaway Vineyards just a year behind Karl Seppelts' pioneering vineyard at Keppoch, and developing a small pilot vineyard of four wine grape varieties at Mt Benson in 1980.

Colin was an instigator in bringing the Coonawarra and Limestone Coast Wine Industries together through various forums and projects of the time, including the South East Viticultural Council (since renamed the Limestone Coast Grape & Wine Council), the Coonawarra Airfield Company, with its land acquisition and development of the McGillivray Airstrip and the introduction of such Coonawarra institutions such as 'Bottle Nights' and the local Beefsteak and Burgundy Clubs.

THE ARTHUR HOFFMANNN TROPHY FOR VITICULTURIST OF BEST WINE OF SHOW

Arthur Hoffmannn had a long association with the region's wine industry; principally in viticulture, although he did work the still in the early days of Chateau Comaum. Arthur Hoffmannn's viticultural training was hands on. His skill in the vineyard was learned from his work in Coonawarra vineyards, primarily the Stentiford and Johnson vineyards along with his family's vineyards, also in Coonawarra.

Even though the government of the day in the 1930s was offering subsidy to pull vines and encouraging dairy farming, Arthur continued to grow grapes and sold his fruit to Bill Redman who said the great wines of Rouge Homme came from Hoffmannn vineyards. In 1965 Arthur sold his 60-year-old Shiraz block to the fledgling Redman Wines and he continued his association with the Redmans in the vineyard and cellar door until his retirement in 1990 aged 87. Arthur Hoffmannn passed away in 1994.

THE EWEN FERGUSSON MCBAIN TROPHY FOR BEST MUSEUM RED

Ewen was the first winemaker to work & live in Coonawarra. Dux of Roseworthy in his year, he them became the assistant government viticulturist to Professor Perkins at Roseworthy College.

Perkins has been advising Riddoch on the establishment of the Yallum Fruit Colony and recommended McBain to Riddoch.

in 1898 he took up the position as manager of the Yallum Park Fruit Fruit Colony where the 60 acres of vines received his skilful attention and started making wine in the partially completed Riddochs' Cellars (now Wynns). During his time as manager he oversaw the completion of the cellars, completed 10 vintages and trained Bill Redman, who took over the winemaking in 1908. Mccain was said to have been meticulous and insisted on absolute cleanliness in the winery.

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THE TROPHIES

THE H.R. (RON) HASELGROVE TROPHY FOR BEST CABERNET OF SHOW

Ron Haselgrove was born in Adelaide on 23rd April 1900. He graduated from Roseworthy Ag College in 1919 after a brief stint classing wool, he returned to Roseworthy as Acting Analytical chemist in 1920 and went on to do his first vintage at Renmark Growers Distillery under the direction of Leo Buring.

He then went to France and studied at L'cole national d'Agriculture at Montpellier and on his return was winemaker for Angoves and then Mildara. He went on to be Managing Director of Mildara Wines. In the early 1950s, Mildara started making 'claret' style wines with shiraz and cabernet from vineyards in Coonawarra. In 1955 Mildara purchased land and developed 370 hectares of vineyard.

Ron was instrumental in defining the 'claret' style of the time, using smaller oak barrels and working with french coopers to achieve this. A notable wine made with his influence was the 1963 Mildara Peppermint Pattie, rare but still valued and drinkable today.

Notably, Ron received an OBE in 1964 for his services to wine, which included the establishment of the AWRI. He retired in 1971.

KARL SEPPELT TROPHY FOR BEST WHITE (EX. CHARDONNAY)

Karl Seppett is a third generation member of the Seppett family who are a long established Australian winemaking dynasty which originated in the Barossa in the 1850's. In the early 1960's Karl travelled overseas visiting many of the old world wine growing regions. It became "obvious" to him that for the Australian wine industry to progress beyond a predominately fortified wine producer, new regions suitable for premium table wine production needed to be found.

He sought government and private information on agricultural land that he considered might be suitable for this of endevour. Armed with that knowledge and further intelligence garnered from sending his vineyard manager on a holiday to get local knowledge, Seppelt purchased land in Padthaway, with the first plantings of Shiraz and Cabernet in 1964.

Karl Seppelt as company viticulturist continued the expansion of vineyard in Padthaway into the 1980's.

The original name for the Padthaway Region, 'Keppoch' coined by Seppelt is no longer in use, original plantings are still productive and have provided valuable source material and knowledge, and still make good wine today.



THE ERIC BRAND TROPHY FOR BEST SHIRAZ

Eric established Brands Laira in 1966 after acquiring the vineyard in 1950. Brands Laira was one of the first small wineries in Coonawarra and the first winery to open a Cellardoor sales outlet. Having served in the RAAF in Papua New Guinea and Borneo during the second world war Eric returned to Australia and settled in Coonawarra.

Eric has left a strong legacy of community involvement. Involved in the setting up of the Viticultural Council of SE (now the Limestone Coast Grape and Wine Council) and the Coonawarra Vignerons Association. Eric was a mentor to many people, helping with the establishment and encouragement of many new wineries in the region.

Eric was invested in 1995 as the First Patron of Coonawarra, in recognition of 50 years of commitment to the Coonawarra wine region and received the O.A.M. in 2002 for his contribution to the wine industry and community. A man of few words but sharp sense of humour, Eric has truly made a life time contribution to our wine community.

THE PETER WEHL TROPHY FOR BEST MERLOT

Peter 'Pete' Wehl was one of the great characters of the Mt Benson region. He was a passionate ambassador for both his family wine label and the region that was to become South Australia's first to be registered as a Gl. Wehl worked tirelessly to promote and advocate for the success of Mt Benson. He had a generous and quick witted disposition and an ability to bring people together, bridging the gaps, not just between North and South sides of the region but between grape growers and wine producers and the older and younger generations in the industry. His natural affinity for viticulture made him a great asset to other growers in the region who drew upon Pete for advice and mentorship.

The Wehl family played a pivotal role in the history of what is now an exceptional region for growing Shiraz, Cabernet and Sauvignon blanc. While a stroke of luck may have played a role in their decision, there is evidence that it was the red soil and cool maritime conditions that caught their attention leading them to be the first to plant grapes in Mt Benson. From humble beginnings of a two hectare plot of Cabernet in 1989, Wehl, along with parents, Bill and Margaret and wife Leah went on to build a very successful wine brand 'Wehls Mt Benson Vineyards'. The family's pioneering spirit inspired others into the region and a rapid development of the Mt Benson viticultural plantings followed amidst the boom of the early 90's and a burgeoning wine industry Australia wide. Investors included a number of high profile international companies.

As well as producing his own awarded wines, between 1996 and 2001 Wehl undertook a major role managing the development and planting of the 120 Ha Mount Benson Community Corporation Vineyards. He remained with the corporation until his untimely death in 2014.



JUDGES

JANE FAULKNER - Chief of Judges

Jane Faulkner is a journalist by training and a wine writer by vocation. She writes for many publications including Gournet Traveller WINE and Halliday magazine, and is one of the key reviewers for Australia's best-selling wine guide, Halliday Wine Companion, which means she's busy tasting during the Christmas break when everyone else is on holidays. Jane is an experienced wine judge and currently chairs several Australian shows but this is her last as head honcho of the Limestone Coast Wine Show – she's loved the vinous ride and Marcie's home-made sausage rolls. Born in Malaysia, lives in Melbourne, Jane never tires of travelling throughout the wine world for months on end in search of stories and wines from inspirational, thoughtful producers, including her own backyard, Australia. Naturally she drinks with qusto.

WENDY CAMERON - Panel Chair

Wendy Cameron is an experienced winemaker and wine business manager. Wendy has worked for Brown Brothers Milawa Vineyards for 17 years, initially as a winemaker and for 10 years as their Head of Winemaking, having overall responsibility for the production of a very diverse range of grape varieties grown in a diverse range of climates across Victoria and Tasmania and including the development of innovative wine styles. Currently Wendy continues as a winemaking consultant to Brown Brothers Milawa Vineyards. Wendy has judged at numerous Australian wine shows and was awarded the inaugural ASVO Winemaker of the Year Award in 2012.

SARAH AHMED - International Judge

Sarah Ahmed is a UK-based freelance wine writer and educator focused on the wines of Australia and Portugal. In addition to publishing www.thewinedetective.co.uk, she is a regular contributor for Decanter and writes for other respected titles such as The World of Fine Wine. She has contributed to leading reference books in her areas of expertise, including The World Atlas of Wine, The Oxford Companion to Wine & Hugh Johnson Pocket Wine. Sarah is the Regional Chair, Portugal, at Decanter World Wine Awards. The Limestone Coast Wine Show will be her fifth time judging at an Australian wine show. She was named Honorary Australian Woman in Wine at the Australian Women in Wine Awards 2017 for making a significant contribution to Australian wine in the UK.

JULIAN LANGWORTHY - Judge

A Jimmy Watson Award winner, Ray Jordan's 2017 Winemaker of the Year and a Wine Society Young Winemaker of the Year nominee, Julian is now regarded as one of the most talented winemakers in Australia. His impressive career has included vintages in France and Canada, as well as senior winemaking roles in the Barossa Valley, Clare Valley and Coonawarra. Passionate about pork and producing regionally distinctive wine, Julian joined the Deep Woods team at Margaret River in 2011. Under his leadership, the winemaking team has continued to refine and explore the Deep Woods style, culminating is 25 trophies and in excess of 70 gold medals awarded across major national and international

EMMA NORBIATO - Judge

Emma was raised on a Riverina sheep and rice farm. She achieved the highest mark for sensory evaluation in her year at Charles Sturt University which led to Associate Judging at the National Wine Show in Canberra at age 21.

Vintages around Australia and in Tuscany were followed by 4 years at Penfolds in the red winemaking team. At age 26, Emma took up a Senior Winemaking role with Casella Wines, producing Yellow Tail. In 2009 Emma started working at Calabria Family Wines, working with vineyards and growers in the Riverina. Emma has an increasing interest in atterative varieties, viticulture and seeing the Riverina region reach its full potential. In 2016 Emma was awarded the AWWA's Winemaker of the Year.

JEREMY PRIDEAUX - Judge

Jeremy Prideaux is the Retail Manager for the City Wine Shop, Melbourne. Cellar door work in McLaren Vale while studying led to a formative stint at Adelaide's Universal Wine Bar in 2001, then on to East End Cellars. Moving to Melbourne in 2004, he undertook his first stint with The European, assisting in the set up and opening of the City Wine Shop as well as overseeing the cellars and writing of the wine lists for the venues. After Australian and French vintages in 2008, he joined the opening team of Sydney's Rockpool Bar & Grill. As a senior sommelier there, he was privileged to work with one of Australia's most prized wine cellars gaining exposure to some of the great and rare wines of the world. After a brief sojourn home to Adelaide in 2012 working at Press Food+ Wine, Jeremy returned to Melbourne, where he now looks after the retail operations of the City Wine Shop.



ASSOCIATE JUDGES

ALICE BAKER

Alice grew up among the apple trees of the Adelaide Hills, and after completing an undergraduate degree at Adelaide University with honours in Geology and Geophysics, she worked for PIRSA using spectral sensing technology to evaluate soils and drill core for industry. After completing vintages in McLaren Vale, she returned to study Oenology and Viticulture at Adelaide University. She has travelled, tasted and worked in some far reaching wine regions of the world including, Kakheti Georgia, the Okanagan Valley Canada, Chile, California, France, China, Russia and South Africa before calling the coastal town of Robe home. She is currently Winemaking at Norfolk Rise Vineyard and experimenting in her shed in Robe.

AMY BLACKBURN

From an early age, Amy had an avid interest in science, completing a degree in Chemistry at Adelaide University. Amy joined the Brand's Laira team in 2004, initially as Laboratory Manager. As her passion for the wine industry grew, Amy became more involved with the winemaking process. Whilst working as Assistant Winemaker, Amy studied for the degree of Wine Science, graduating with distinction as dux of her class. Now a Winemaker, Amy has attained an understanding of many varietals and wine styles through 13 years of experience in the Coonawarra, Hunter Valley and Napa Valley regions.

LAUREN HANSEN

Lauren grew up on the Limestone Coast, and after filling a gap year with vintages in Padthaway and Canada, decided to pursue a career in winernaking. She graduated from the University of Adelaide in 2012, as dux of the Bachelor of Villoulture and Oenology course. After vintage hopping for a few years, completing vintages at Brokenwood in Hunter Valley, Madden's Rise in Yarra Valley, Wither Hills in New Zealand, Weingut Aliram in Austria, and Bannockburn in Geelong, Lauren moved to the Clare Valley to work as assistant winemaker & vineyard manager for Adelina Wines. In 2015, Lauren moved closer to home to join the Balnaves team as assistant winemaker.

SEAN MURPHY

Currently Winemaker with Ladbroke Grove Wines in Coonawarra. Growing up in the Padthaway wine region, the lure of a career in the wine industry was always present. After spending a number of years actively involved in the family vineyard and viticultural businesses throughout Australia, the thought of venturing into winemaking proved too strong. An introduction into winemaking began in Mount Benson in 2003 whilst studying Wine Science at Charles Sturt University. In 2005 the move was made to Coonawarra and he commenced his current position with Ladbroke Grove in 2010.



2017 Limestone Coast Wine Show Judges and Associate Judges (from left): Alice Baker, Jane Faulkner, Jeremy Prideaux, Lauren Hansen, Julian Langworthy, Wendy Cameron, Sarah Ahmed, Emma Norbiato, Amy Blackburn, Sean Murphy.



TROPHIES FROM THE TOP

TOP TIER TROPHIES

Bill Redman Trophy for Best Wine of Show Sponsored by CCL LABELS
2015 Wolf Blass Gold Label Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon

Arthur Hoffmannn Trophy for Viticulturist of the Year Sponsored by VINPAC INTERNATIONAL Martin Wirper – Wolf Blass Wines

SECOND TIER TROPHIES

David Wynn Trophy for Best Red of Show Sponsored by COOPERAGES 1912 2015 Wolf Blass Gold Label Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon

Colin Kidd Trophy for Best White of Show
Sponsored by LIMESTONE COAST LOCAL GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION
2017 Otellia Mount Gambier Riesling

THIRD TIER TROPHIES

Karl Seppelt Trophy for Best White (excluding Chardonnay) Sponsored by MULTI-COLOR 2017 Otellia Mount Gambier Riesling

Trophy for Best Chardonnay Sponsored by VA FILTRATION 2016 Brands Blockers Chardonnay

Trophy for Best Alternative Red Varietal (other than Shiraz, Merlot or Cabernet Sauvignon)

Sponsored by EURA CARLA

2016 Leconfield Cabernet France

Peter Wehl Trophy for Best Merlot Sponsored by CLASSIC OAK PRODUCTS 2016 Majella Merlot

Trophy for Best Blended Red Sponsored by PADTHAWAY WINE REGION 2015 Lindemans Coonawarra Pyrus Red

Eric Brand Trophy for Best Shiraz Sponsored by LALLEMAND 2016 Norfolk Rise Vineyard Shiraz



TROPHIES FROM THE TOP

THIRD TIER TROPHIES CTD

HR (Ron) Haselgrove Trophy for Best Cabernet SauvignonSponsored by WRATTONBULLY WINE REGION

2015 Wolf Blass Gold Label Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon

Trophy for Best Individual Vineyard Wine Sponsored by MUST APARTMENTS

2014 Malone Cabernet Sauvignon

STAND ALONE TROPHIES*

Trophy for Best Sparkling Wine
2015 Woodsoak Wines Blanc de Noirs

Trophy for Best Sweet White Wine 2016 Hollick Estates 'The Nectar'

PROVENANCE WHITE WINE CLASSES Sponsored by DELLA TOFFOLA Ladbroke Grove Wines Schoolhouse Riesling 2016, 2010, 2005

PROVENANCE RED WINE CLASSES Sponsored by TORRESAN WINE ESTATES Redman Cabernet Sauvignon 2014, 2009, 2000

Ewen McBain Fergusson Trophy for Best Museum Wine Sponsored by HAHN CORPORATION 2009 Malone Cabernet Sauvignon

International Judges award Sponsored by SEGUIN MOREAU

Karatta Wine Co – 2017 Lost Ram Syrah

Small Batch Experimental award
2016 Leconfield Coongwarra Petit Verdot

Chief of Judges Wine to Watch Sponsored by LAWRENCE'S IRRIGATION 2016 Wangolina Lagrein

Most Successful Exhibitor Sponsored by KAURI
Wynns Coonawarra Estate

^{*} Winning wine will not be eligible for next tier of trophies

PREVIOUS TROPHY WINNERS

BILL REDMAN TROPHY FOR BEST WINE OF SHOW

- 2006 Majella Cabernet Sauvignon 2004
- 2007 Wynns Coonawarra Estate John Riddoch Cabernet Sauvignon 2005
- 2008 Majella Cabernet Sauvignon 2006
- 2009 The Yalumba Wine Company Menzies 'The Cigar' Cabernet Sauvignon 2006
- 2010 Lindemans Wines 2008 Lindemans Coonawarra Limestone Ridge
- 2011 Wolf Blass Wines 2009 Wolf Blass Grey Label Shiraz Cabernet
- 2012 Wolf Blass Wines 2010 Wolf Blass Gold Label Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2013 Brand's Laira Coonawarra One Seven One Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2014 2012 Brand's Laira Coonawarra One Seven One Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2015 Pepper Tree Wines 2013 Pepper Tree 'Block 21A' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2016 Pepper Tree Wines 2013 Pepper Tree 'Elderslee Road' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Cabernet Sauvignon

ARTHUR HOFFMANN TROPHY FOR VITICULTURIST OF BEST WINE

- 2006 Anthony Lynn
- 2007 Stuart Sharman
- 2008 Anthony Lynn
- 2009 James Freckleton
- 2010 Scott Jolley
- 2011 Angela Pomery
- 2012 Ben Harris
- 2013 Trent Brand
- 2014 Trent Brand
- 2015 Peter Balnaves
- 2016 Peter Balnaves

COLIN KIDD TROPHY FOR BEST WHITE

- 2006 Balnaves Chardonnay 2005
- 2007 Stonehaven Hidden Sea Chardonnav 2005
- 2008 Ladbroke Grove Riesling 2005
- 2009 Punters Corner Single Vineyard Chardonnav 2008
- 2010 Patrick of Coonawarra 2010 Patrick 'Estate' Riesling Wrattonbully
- 2011 Blok Estate Coonawarra 2009 Blok Estate Riesling
- 2012 Ladbroke Grove Wines 2009 Ladbroke Grove Riesling
- 2013 Majella Riesling 2013
- 2014 2014 DiGiorgio Family Wines Kongorong Riesling
- 2015 Balnaves of Coonawarra 2013 Balnaves Chardonnay
- 2016 2015 Balnaves Chardonnav

ERIC BRAND TROPHY FOR BEST SHIRAZ

- 2006 Flints of Coongwarra Rostrevor Shiraz 2004
- 2007 Flints of Coonawarra Rostrevor Shiraz 2005
- 2008 Malone Shiraz 2006
- 2009 Balnaves of Coongwarra Shiraz 2006
- 2010 Jacob's Creek Wines 2005 Jacob's Creek Limited Release 35th Anniversary Padthaway Shiraz
- 2011 Pepper Tree Wines 2009 'The Gravels' Reserve Wrattonbully Shiraz Vioginer
- 2012 Wynns Coonawarra Estate -2010 Wynns Black Label Shiraz
- 2013 Cellarmasters Riddoch Eliza King Coonawarra Shiraz 2012
- 2014 2012 Cape Jaffa Epic Drop
- 2015 Jack Estate 2013 Jack Estate Shiraz
- 2016 2014 Limestone Coast Wines The Hidden Sea Shiraz



BEST CHARDONNAY

- 2006 Balnaves of Coonawarra Chardonnay 2005
- 2007 Stonehaven Hidden Sea Chardonnay 2005
- 2008 Balnaves of Coonawarra Chardonnay 2007
- 2009 Punters Corner Single Vineyard Chardonnav 2008
- 2010 Dorrien Estate 2008 Tolley Elite Chardonnay
- 2012 Balnaves of Coonawarra -2011 Balnaves Chardonnay
- 2013 Rymill 2012 Chardonnay
- 2014 2013 Balnaves Chardonnay
- 2015 2013 Balnaves Chardonnay
- 2016 2015 Balnaves Chardonnay

DAVID WYNN TROPHY FOR BEST RED

- 2006 Majella Cabernet Sauvignon 2004
- 2007 Wynns Coonawarra Estate John Riddoch Cabernet Sauvignon 2005
- 2008 Majella Cabernet Sauvignon 2006
- 2009 The Yalumba Wine Company Menzies 'The Cigar' Cabernet Sauvignon 2006
- 2010 Lindemans Wines 2008 Lindemans Coonawarra Limestone Ridae
- 2011 Wolf Blass Wines 2009 Wolf Blass Grev Label Shiraz Cabernet
- 2012 Wolf Blass Wines 2010 Wolf Blass Gold Label Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2013 Brand's Laira Coonawarra One Seven One Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2014 2012 Brand's Laira Coonawarra One Seven One Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2015 Pepper Tree Wines 2013 Pepper Tree 'Block 21A' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2016 Pepper Tree Wines 2013 Pepper Tree 'Elderslee Road' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Cabernet Sauvignon

KARL SEPPELT TROPHY FOR BEST WHITE (CLASSES 15, 16, 17, 18)

- 2007 Murdock Riesling 2006
- 2008 Ladbroke Grove Riesling 2005
- 2010 Patrick of Coonawarra 2010 Patrick 'Estate' Riesling Wrattonbully
- 2011 Blok Estate Coonawarra 2009 Blok Estate Rieslina
- 2012 Ladbroke Grove Wines 2009 Ladbroke Grove Riesling
- 2013 Majella Riesling 2013
- 2014 2014 DiGiorgio Family Wines Kongorong Riesling
- 2015 Raidis Estate 2015 Raidis Estate "The Kid" Riesling
- 2016 2016 Cellarmasters Lysander Limestone Coast Sauvignon Blanc

H.R. (RON) HASELGROVE TROPHY FOR BEST CABERNET SAUVIGNON

- 2006 Majella Cabernet Sauvignon 2004
- 2007 Wynns Coonawarra Estate John Ridoch Cabernet Sauvignon 2005
- 2008 Majella Cabernet Sauvignon 2006
- 2009 The Yalumba Wine Company Menzies 'The Cigar' Cabernet Sauvignon 2006
- 2010 Wynns Coonawrara Estate 2008 Wynns John Riddoch Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2011 Brand's Wines Pty Ltd 2009 Coonawarra The Patron Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2012 Wolf Blass Wines 2010 Wolf Blass Gold Label Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2013 Brand's Laira Coonawarra One Seven One Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2014 2012 Brand's Laira Coonawarra One Seven One Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2015 Pepper Tree Wines 2013 Pepper Tree 'Block 21A' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2016 Pepper Tree Wines 2013 Pepper Tree 'Elderslee Road' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Cabernet Sauvignon

PREVIOUS TROPHY WINNERS

PETER WEHL BEST MERLOT

2016 - 2015 Leconfield Merlot

BEST BLENDED RED

- 2007 Lindemans Pyrus 2005
- 2008 Lindemans Pyrus 2005
- 2009 Wynns Coonwarra Estate, Wynns The Gables Coonwarra Cabernet Shiraz 2006
- 2010 Lindemans Wines 2008 Lindemans Coonawarra Limestone Ridge
- 2011 Wolf Blass Wines 2009 Wolf Blass Grey Label Shiraz Cabernet
- 2012 Brands Wines Pty Ltd 2010 Brands Laira Coonawarra Auaust Tide
- 2013 Wynns Coonawarra Estate 2010 V & A Lane Cabernet Shiraz
- 2014 2012 Wolf Blass White Label Shiraz Cabernet
- 2015 Lindemans Wines Pty Ltd 2013 Lindemans Coonawarra Limestone Shiraz Cabernet
- 2016 2015 Wynns Coonawarra Estate Cabernet Shiraz Merlot

EWEN FERGUSSON MCBAIN BEST MUSEUM RED

- 2007 Murdock Cabernet 2000
- 2008 Parker Estate First Growth 2001
- 2009 Balnaves of Coonawarra The Tally 2001
- 2010 Majella Wines 2001 Majella Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2011 Jacob's Creek Wines 2004 Jacob's Creek St Hugo Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2012 Balnaves of Coonawarra 2005 The Tally
- 2013 Malone 2006 Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2014 2006 Malone Shiraz
- 2015 Casella Family Brands 2006 Casella 1919 Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2016 2005 Majella Cabernet

INTERNATIONAL JUDGE'S AWARD

- 2006 Lawson's Padthaway Shiraz 1998
- 2007 Wynns Coonawarra Estate Messenger Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon 2005
- 2008 Katnook Estate Odyssey 1998
- 2009 Hollick Wines, Hollick Wrattonbully Shiraz 2006
- 2010 Dorrien Estate 2008 Black Wattle Black Label Mt Benson Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2011 Wynns Coonawarra Estate -2009 Glengyle Cabernet
- 2012 Penley Estate 2010 Penley Estate Special Select Shiraz
- 2013 Henry's Drive 2010 Reserve Shiraz
- 2014 2010 Majella Sparkling Shiraz
- 2015 Pepper Tree Wines 2014 Pepper Tree Limited Release Wrattonbully Tempranillo
- 2016 2014 Maiella Shiraz

BEST INDIVIDUAL VINEYARD WINE

- 2007 Wynns Coonawarra Estate Johnsons Block Shiraz Cabernet 2004
- 2008 Punters Corner Single Vineyard Chardonnay 2007
- 2009 Wynns Coonawarra Estate, Wynns Alex 88 Cabernet Sauvianon 2006
- 2010 Lindemans Wines 2008 Lindemans Coonawarra Limestone Ridge
- 2011 Pepper Tree Wines 2009 "Elderslee Road" Reserve Wrattonbully Cabernet Savignon
- 2012 Pepper Tree Wines 2009 "Calcare" Reserve Coonawarra Cabernet Savignon
- 2013 Wynns Coonawarra Estate 2010 Messenger Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2014 2010 Wynns Coonawarra Estate 'Alex 88' Single Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2015 Pepper Tree Wines 2013 Pepper Tree 'Block 21A' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Cabernet Sauvignon
- 2016 2013 Pepper Tree 'Elderslee Road' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Cabernet Sauvignon



BEST OTHER SINGLE RED VARIETY

2015 – Wangolina 2013 Wangolina Tempranillo

2016 - 2015 Leconfield Petit Verdot

BEST SWEET WINE

2014 - 2012 Yalumba FSW8B

Wrattonbully Botrytis Viognier

2016 - 2015 Hollick Wines The Nectar

BEST SMALL BATCH

2015 - Wangolina 2013 Wangolina Spectrum Syroh

2016 - 2015 Leconfield Petit Verdot

WINE OF PROVENANCE

2016 - Majella Cabernet 2014, 2009, 2004

CHIEF OF JUDGES - WINE TO WATCH

2016 - Tidswell Wines Heathfield Vermentino

MOST SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITOR

2006 - Wynns Coonawarra Estate

2007 - Wynns Coonawarra Estate

2008 - Orlando Wines

2009 - Wynns Coonawarra Estate

2010 - Wynns Coonawarra Estate

2011 - Jacob's Creek Wines

2012 - Brands Wines Pty Ltd

2013 - Brands Wines Pty Ltd

2014 - Pepper Tree Wines

2015 - Brands Laira

2016 - Leconfield Wines

WINE	SHOW STAT	ISTICS					
YEAR	JUDGING	ENTRIES	EXHIBITORS	TROPHIES	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE
2001	Oct. 30-31	353	58	10	19	35	104
2002	Oct. 29-30	342	61	11	25	42	102
2003	Oct. 28-29	455	67	13	28	75	136
2004	Oct. 25-27	472	66	13	31	76	171
2005	Oct. 25-27	433	64	13	33	64	163
2006	Oct. 24-26	441	65	11	27	42	170
2007	Oct. 30-31	506	74	13	35	63	148
2008	Oct. 28-29	470	72	13	23	49	155
2009	Oct. 27-28	449	74	12	20	47	105
2010	Oct. 26-27	442	78	13	26	49	146
2011	Oct. 25-28	423	76	12	38	50	159
2012	Oct. 30-Nov. 1	469	78	13	42	77	178
2013	Oct. 28-Nov. 1	401	77	13	39	42	143
2014	Oct. 27-30	418	86	15	43	58	146
2015	Oct. 26-29	439	85	15	61	72	147
2016	Oct. 24-27	501	84	18	76	102	130
2017	Oct. 23-26	496	75	22	72	92	142



SPARKLING / SWEET WINE

CLASS 1 - WHITE: AT LEAST 18 MONTHS ON LEES

Judges: Wendy, Emma, Jeremy

Associate Judges: Amy, Sean

Judges Comments: Good effort. Top wine shows finese and complexity.

Е	XHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
	1	1	Oparina Pty Ltd	Oparina Blanc de Blanc Sparkling	2015	90	Silver	
	2	2	Grey-Smith Wines	GSBdB NV	2013	87	Bronze	
	3	3	Woodsoak Wines	Woodsoak Wines Blanc de Noirs	2015	95	Gold	
	4	4	Majella Wines	Minuet by Majella	NV	84		

CLASS 2 - WHITE: UP TO 18 MONTHS ON LEES

Judges: Wendy, Emma, Jeremy

Associate Judges: Amy, Sean

Judges Comments: Solid bracket of commercial sparkling wine.

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
5	1	Farmer's Leap Pty Ltd	Farmer's Leap 'Destiny' Brut	2017	84		
6	2	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines Blanc de Blanc	2016	85	Bronze	
7	3	Leconfield Wines	Syn Chardonnay Pinot Noir	NV	88	Bronze	
8	4	Cellarmasters	Cuvee Riddoch Coonawarra Chardonnay Pinot Noir B	rut NV	85	Bronze	
9	5	Karatta Wine Co.	S.S. Karatta Sparkling Pinot Chardonnay	NV	85	Bronze	
10	6	Browns Of Padthaway Wines	Glendon Park Cluaran Sparkling Brut	2015	88	Bronze	

CLASS 3 - WHITE: > 15G/L

Judges: Wendy, Julian, Jeremy

Associate Judges: Alice, Lauren

Judges Comments:

EXHIBIT ENTRY EXHIBITOR		EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
11	1	Hoggies Estate Wines	Hoggies Estate NV Sparkling Chardonnay/Pinot Noir	NV	83		
12	2	Wangolina	Wangolina Moscato	2017	88	Bronze	

CLASS 4 - ROSÉ

Judges: Wendy, Emma, Jeremy

Associate Judges: Amy, Sean

Judges Comments: Good to keep working on this "on trend" style

EXHI	BIT ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
13	3 1	Woodsoak Wines	Zaahira Sparkling	NV	83		
14	4 2	Cellarmasters	Black Watttle Mount Benson Cuvee Rose	2016	86	Bronze	

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SPARKLING / SWEET WINE

CLASS 5 - RED

Judges: Wendy, Julian, Jeremy

Associate Judges: Alice, Lauren

Judges Comments: Lacking freshness is an issue - it appears the base wines aren't up to scratch in the first place.

ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
1	Woodsoak Wines	Woodsoak Wines Sparkling Shiraz	2013	80		
2	Majella Wines	Sparkling Shiraz	2010	88	Bronze	
3	Leconfield Wines	Syn Rouge Sparkling Shiraz	NV	90	Silver	
4	Pinnacle Drinks	Riddoch Sparkling Shiraz	NV	WD		
5	Majella Wines	Sparkling Shiraz	2013	82		
6	Karatta Wine Co.	Griffin Sparkling Shiraz Cabernet	NV	78		
	1 2 3 4 5	1 Woodsoak Wines 2 Majella Wines 3 Leconfield Wines 4 Pinnacle Drinks 5 Majella Wines	1 Woodsoak Wines Woodsoak Wines Sparkling Shiraz 2 Majella Wines Sparkling Shiraz 3 Leconfield Wines Syn Rouge Sparkling Shiraz 4 Pinnacle Drinks Riddoch Sparkling Shiraz 5 Majella Wines Sparkling Shiraz	1 Woodsoak Wines Woodsoak Wines Sparkling Shiraz 2013 2 Majella Wines Sparkling Shiraz 2010 3 Leconfield Wines Syn Rouge Sparkling Shiraz NV 4 Pinnacle Drinks Riddoch Sparkling Shiraz NV 5 Majella Wines Sparkling Shiraz 2013	1 Woodsoak Wines Woodsoak Wines Sparkling Shiraz 2013 80 2 Majella Wines Sparkling Shiraz 2010 88 3 Leconfield Wines Syn Rouge Sparkling Shiraz NV 90 4 Pinnacle Drinks Riddoch Sparkling Shiraz NV WD 5 Majella Wines Sparkling Shiraz 2013 82	1 Woodsoak Wines Woodsoak Wines Sparkling Shiraz 2013 80 2 Majella Wines Sparkling Shiraz 2010 88 Bronze 3 Leconfield Wines Syn Rouge Sparkling Shiraz NV 90 Silver 4 Pinnacle Drinks Riddoch Sparkling Shiraz NV WD 5 Majella Wines Sparkling Shiraz 2013 82

CLASS 6 - ANY VINTAGE

Judges:

Associate Judges:

Judges Comments: Balance is the key – gold medal had toasty complexity, sustained sweetness and zesty lime juice & ready now, but on song. Others a little mawkish & too sweet.

EXHIBIT	EXHIBIT ENTRY EXHIBITOR		RY EXHIBITOR COMMERCIAL NAME		SCORE	AWARD	NB SB	SV
21	1	Terroir Selections	Terre à Terre Late Harvest Pinot Gris	2012	85	Bronze		
22	2	Hollick Estates	Hollick Estates The Nectar	2016	95	Gold		
23	3	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines Botrytis Semillon	2011	81			
24	4	Terroir Selections	Terre à Terre Botrytis Pinot Gris	2013	83			
25	5	The Yalumba Wine Company	Yalumba FSW8B Botrytis Viognier	2017	90	Silver		

NOTES:				



WINE OF PROVENANCE

CLASS 7 - DRY WHITE: <3 YRS OLD

Judges: Jane, Sarah, Julian

Associate Judges: Alice, Lauren

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
26	1	Patrick of Coonawarra	Patrick Estate Riesling	2017			
27	2	Ladbroke Grove Wines	Ladbroke Grove Wines Schoolhouse Riesling	2016		Winner	White
28	3	Balnaves of Coonawarra	Balnaves Chardonnay	2016			

CLASS 8 - DRY WHITE: 5-9 YRS OLD

Judges: Jane, Sarah, Julian

Associate Judges: Alice, Lauren

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
29	1	Patrick of Coonawarra	Patrick Estate Riesling	2011			
30	2	Ladbroke Grove Wines	Ladbroke Grove Wines Schoolhouse Riesling	2010		Winner	White
31	3	Balnaves of Coonawarra	Balnaves Chardonnay	2011			

CLASS 9 - DRY WHITE: >10 YRS OLD

Judges: Jane, Sarah, Julian

Associate Judges: Alice, Lauren

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
33	1	Patrick of Coonawarra	Patrick Estate Riesling	2004			
32	2	Ladbroke Grove Wines	Ladbroke Grove Wines Schoolhouse Riesling	2005		Winner	White
34	3	Balnaves of Coonawarra	Balnaves Chardonnay	2006			



WINE OF PROVENANCE

CLASS 10 - DRY RED: <3 YRS OLD

Judges: Jane, Sarah, Julian

Associate Judges: Alice, Lauren

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB S	B SV
36	1	Wynns Coonawarra Estate Pty Ltd	Wynns Black Label Cabernet Sauvignon	2015				
37	2	Majella Wines	Majella Cabernet	2015				
38	3	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2014				
39	4	Redman Wines	Redman Cabernet Sauvignon	2014		Winner	Red	
40	5	Hoggies Estate Wines	Kopparossa Estate Coonawarra Shiraz	2012				
41	6	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree 'Elderslee Road' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Cabernet Sauvignon	2014				
42	7	Tidswell Wines	Tidswell Wines Jennifer	2012				
43	8	Hoggies Estate Wines	Kopparossa Estate Coonawarra Cabernet	2012	WD			
44	9	Lindemans Wines Pty Ltd	Lindemans Coonawarra Pyrus Red	2015				
45	10	Balnaves of Coonawarra	Balnaves The Tally	2015				

NOTES:

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WINE OF PROVENANCE

CLASS 11 - DRY RED: 5-9 YRS OLD, AT LEAST 5 YRS OLDER

Judges: Jane, Sarah, Julian

Associate Judges: Alice, Lauren

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB S	B SV
50	1	Wynns Coonawarra Estate Pty Ltd	Wynns Black Label Cabernet Sauvignon	2010				
49	2	Majella Wines	Majella Cabernet	2010				
52	3	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2009				
53	4	Redman Wines	Redman Cabernet Sauvignon	2009		Winner	Red	
47	5	Hoggies Estate Wines	Kopparossa Estate Coonawarra Shiraz	2004				
51	6	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree 'Elderslee Road' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Cabernet Sauvignon	2009				
48	7	Tidswell Wines	Tidswell Wines Jennifer	2010				
54	8	Hoggies Estate Wines	Kopparossa Estate Coonawarra Cabernet	2005	WD			
55	9	Lindemans Wines Pty Ltd	Lindemans Coonawarra Pyrus Red	2010				
56	10	Balnaves of Coonawarra	Balnaves The Tally	2010				

CLASS 12 - DRY RED: >10 YRS OLD, AT LEAST 5 YRS OLDER

Judges: Jane, Sarah, Julian

Associate Judges: Alice, Lauren

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB S	SB SV
58	1	Wynns Coonawarra Estate Pty Ltd	Wynns Black Label Cabernet Sauvignon	2005				
59	2	Majella Wines	Majella Cabernet	2005				
61	3	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2004				
63	4	Redman Wines	Redman Cabernet Sauvignon	2000		Winner	Red	
57	5	Hoggies Estate Wines	Kopparossa Estate Coonawarra Shiraz	1998				
62	6	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree 'Elderslee Road' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Cabernet Sauvignon	2004				
65	7	Tidswell Wines	Tidswell Wines Jennifer	1998	D			
64	8	Hoggies Estate Wines	Kopparossa Estate Coonawarra Cabernet	2000	WD			
66	9	Lindemans Wines Pty Ltd	Lindemans Coonawarra Pyrus Red	2005				
60	10	Balnaves of Coonawarra	Balnaves The Tally	2005				

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MUSEUM WINE

CLASS 13 - DRY WHITE: >4 YRS OLD (2013 OR OLDER)

Judges: Wendy, Emma, Jeremy

Associate Judges: Amy, Sean

Judges Comments: Broad range of styles. Best wines still showing freshness, some primary fruit and energetic acid. Very enjoyable to judge.

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD NB SB SV
67	1	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines	2013	89	Bronze
68	2	Ladbroke Grove Wines	Ladbroke Grove Wines Riesling	2010	95	Gold
69	3	Terroir Selections	Terre à Terre Sauvignon Blanc	2012	88	Bronze
70	4	Balnaves of Coonawarra	Balnaves Chardonnay	2013	92	Silver

CLASS 14 - DRY RED: >7 YRS OLD (2010 OR OLDER)

Judges: Wendy, Emma, Jeremy

Associate Judges: Amy, Sean

Judges Comments: Excellent class - a joy to judge. One of Limestone Coast's signature varieties, Cabernet Sauvignon, is showing its potential to age magnificently with some very strong examples as well.

EXHIBIT	BIT ENTRY EXHIBITOR		COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
71	1	Farmer's Leap Pty Ltd	2008 Farmer's Leap Shiraz	2008	92	Silver	
72	2	Malone Wines	Malone Shiraz	2008	93	Silver	
74	3	Zema Estate	Family Selection Shiraz	2008	90	Silver	
75	4	Patrick of Coonawarra	Patrick of Coonawarra Grande Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon	2010	84		
76	5	Bellwether Wines	Bellwether Coonawarra Cabernet	2010	96	Gold	
77	6	Malone Wines	Malone Cabernet Sauvignon	2009	97	Gold	
78	7	Bellwether Wines	Bellwether Coonawarra Cabernet	2009	93	Silver	
79	8	Hoggies Estate Wines	Kopparossa Estate 2008 Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2008	82		
80	9	Bellwether Wines	Bellwether Coonawarra Cabernet	2008	86	Bronze	
81	10	Patrick of Coonawarra	Patrick of Coonawarra Limited Release Home Block Cabernet Sauvignon	2008	84		SV
82	11	Zema Estate	Family Selection Cabernet Sauvignon	2008	88	Bronze	
83	12	Majella Wines	Majella Cabernet	2007	93	Silver	
84	13	Bellwether Wines	Bellwether Coonawarra Cabernet	2006	87	Bronze	
85	14	Majella Wines	Majella Cabernet	2006	94	Silver	
86	15	Redman Wines	The Redman	2006	78		
87	16	Balnaves of Coonawarra	Balnaves The Tally	2010	89	Bronze	
88	17	Orlando Wines	Jacaranda Ridge Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2010	95	Gold	



AROMATIC WHITE

CLASS 15 - RIESLING AND TRAMINER: 1 YR OLD (2017-16)

Judges: Jane, Julian, Jeremy

Associate Judges: Alice, Sean

Judges Comments: Solid Class - best wines are fresh, fragrant and balanced.

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
89	1	Patrick of Coonawarra	Patrick Estate Riesling	2017	86	Bronze	
90	2	Coola Road	Coola Road Riesling	2017	WD		
91	3	Leconfield Wines	Leconfield Coonawarra Old Vine Riesling	2017	90	Silver	SV
92	4	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio family Wines Kongorong Riesling	2017	92	Silver	
93	5	Raidis Estate	Raidis Estate, The Kid, Riesling	2017	88	Bronze	
94	6	Cellarmasters	The Ridge Terra Rosa Riesling	2017	88	Bronze	
95	7	Majella Wines	Majella Riesling	2017	90	Silver	
96	8	Otellia	Otellia Mount Gambier Riesling	2017	95.5	Gold	
97	9	Hoggies Estate Wines	Hoggies Estate 2016 Limestone Coast Riesling	2016	87	Bronze	
98	10	Ladbroke Grove Wines	Ladbroke Grove Wines Schoolhouse Riesling	2016	88	Bronze	
99	11	Leconfield Wines	Leconfield Coonawarra Old Vine Riesling	2016	83		SV
100	12	Brand's Laira Of Coonawarra	Old Station Riesling	2016	95	Gold	
101	13	Rymill Coonawarra	gt	2017	90	Silver	

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CLASS 16 - RIESLING AND TRAMINER: 2-3 YRS OLD (2015-14) Judges: Jane, Julian, Jeremy Associate Judges: Alice, Sean

EXHIBIT ENTRY EXHIBITOR COMMERCIAL NAME VINTAGE SCORE AWARD NB SB SV 102 1 Ladbroke Grove Wines Ladbroke Grove Wines Schoolhouse Riesling 2014 86 Bronze

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AROMATIC WHITE

CLASS 17 - SAUVIGNON BLANC: UP TO 3 YRS OLD (2017-14)

 Judges: Jane, Sarah, Emma
 Associate Judges: Sean, Amy

 Judges: Wendy, Julian, Jeremy
 Associate Judges: Alice, Lauren

Judges Comments: A mix of wines – plenty of varietal characters – and restrained styles – some fresh and bright as the vintage dictates and ready to drink. Solid class but no wow wines other than one gold that had freshness, vitality and flavour.

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
103	1	Browns Of Padthaway Wines	Browns Of Padthaway Sauvignon Blanc	2017	86	Bronze	
104	2	Raidis Estate	Raidis Estate, The Kelpie, Sauvignon Blanc	2017	95	Gold	
105	3	Norfolk Rise Vineyard	Norfolk Rise Vineyard Sauvignon Blanc	2017	83		
106	4	Zema Estate	Zema Estate Sauvignon Blanc	2017	92	Silver	
107	5	Hoggies Estate Wines	Hoggies Estate 2017 Coonawarra Sauvignon Blanc	2017	83		
108	6	Cellarmasters	Black Wattle Limestone Coast Sauvignon Blanc	2017	88	Bronze	
109	7	Hollick Estates	Hollick Estates Sauvignon Blanc	2017	88	Bronze	
110	8	Morambro Creek Pty Ltd	Jip Jip Rocks Sauvignon Blanc	2017	92	Silver	
111	9	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines Lucindale Sauvignon Blanc	2017	81		
112	10	Otellia	Otellia Mount Gambier Sauvignon Blanc	2017	88	Bronze	
113	11	Morambro Creek Pty Ltd	Mt. Monster Sauvignon Blanc	2017	84		
114	12	Berrigan Wines	Berrigan Mt Benson Sauvignon Blanc	2017	91	Silver	
115	13	Coola Road	Coola Road Sauvignon Blanc	2017	84		
116	14	Wangolina	Wangolina Sauvignon Blanc	2017	88	Bronze	
117	15	Limestone Coast Wines	The Hidden Sea	2016	93	Silver	
118	16	Terroir Selections	Terre à Terre Sauvignon Blanc	2016	85	Bronze	SV
119	17	Patrick of Coonawarra	Patrick Estate Fume' Blanc	2016	92	Silver	
120	18	Giggling Goose Wines	Giggling Goose Single Vineyard Sauvignon Blanc	2016	84		SV
121	19	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines Frank White blend	2017	82		
122	20	Wangolina	Wangolina Semillon Sauvignon Blanc	2017	91	Silver	

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AROMATIC WHITE

CLASS 18 - SINGLE WHITE VARIETIES/BLENDS: UP TO 3 YRS OLD (2017-14)

Judges: Jane, Sarah, Julian

Associate Judges: Alice, Lauren

Judges Comments: A class dominated by Pinot Gris / Grigio - there needs to more experimentation i.e. skin contact to develop more texture, flavour and adding freshness. Needing better acid balance too. A delicious Vermentino in the mix - more of this please!

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
123	1	Smith & Hooper	Smith & Hooper Pinot Grigio	2017	95	Gold	
124	2	Raidis Estate	Raidis Estate, Cheeky Goat, Pinot Gris	2017	86	Bronze	
125	3	La Maschera	La Maschera Pinot Grigio	2017	87	Bronze	
126	4	Norfolk Rise Vineyard	Norfolk Rise Vineyard Pinot Grigio	2017	83		
127	5	Wangolina	Wangolina Pinot Gris	2017	86	Bronze	
128	6	Otellia	Otellia Limestone Coast Pinot Gris	2016	82		
129	7	Davis Premium Vineyards	Quadrant Wrattonbully Pinot Gris	2016	86	Bronze	
130	8	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree Pinot Gris	2016	87	Bronze	
131	9	Norfolk Rise Vineyard	Norfolk Rise Vineyard Reserve Pinot Gris	2015	90	Silver	
132	10	Giggling Goose Wines	Giggling Goose Single Vineyard Viognier	2016	86	Bronze	SV
133	11	Tidswell Wines	Tidswell Wines Heathfield Vermentino	2017	91	Silver	

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132	10	Giggling Goose Wines	Giggling Goose Single Vineyard Viognier	2016	86	Bronze	S١
133	11	Tidswell Wines	Tidswell Wines Heathfield Vermentino	2017	91	Silver	
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CHARDONNAY

CLASS 19 - CHARDONNAY: 1 YR OLD (2017-16)

Judges: Wendy, Sarah, Emma

Associate Judges: Lauren, Amy

Judges Comments: Wines lacked complexity and balance. Many finished sweet - lacked acid drive overall. Fruit didn't suit oak use in some cases. Attempts at funky sulphite complexity weren't matched by the fruit. Perhaps that style doesn't suit some regions here.

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
134	1	Woodsoak Wines	Mayur Chardonnay	2017	84		
135	2	Browns Of Padthaway Wines	Browns Of Padthaway Family Reserve Melba Lilian	2017	83		
136	3	Norfolk Rise Vineyard	Norfolk Rise Vineyard Chardonnay	2017	85	Bronze	
137	4	Limestone Coast Wines	LCW Chardonnay	2017	84		NB
138	5	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree Limited Release Wrattonbully Chardonnay	2016	90	Silver	
139	6	Henry's Drive	Henry's Drive H Chardonnay	2016	84		
140	7	Morambro Creek Pty Ltd	Morambro Creek Chardonnay	2016	90	Silver	
141	8	Parker Coonawarra Estate	Coonawarra Series Chardonnay	2016	89	Bronze	
142	9	Jim Brand Wines	Jim Brand 'Yates' Chardonnay	2016	83		
143	10	Cellarmasters	Black Wattle BWV Mt Benson Chardonnay	2016	88	Bronze	
144	11	Katnook Estate	Katnook Estate Chardonnay	2016	84		
145	12	Brand's Laira Of Coonawarra	Blockers Chardonnay	2016	96	Gold	
146	13	Katnook Estate	Katnook Founders Block Chardonnay	2016	84		
147	14	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines Lucindale Chardonnay	2016	87	Bronze	
148	15	Leconfield Wines	Leconfield Coonawarra Chardonnay	2016	84		
149	16	Lanacoona Estate	Eight at the Gate	2016	86	Bronze	
150	17	Limestone Coast Wines	Artan Reserve	2016	83		
151	18	Cellarmasters	Black Wattle Icon Mt Benson Chardonnay	2016	95	Gold	
152	19	Hoggies Estate Wines	Hoggies Estate 2016 Coonawarra Chardonnay	2016	84		
153	20	Balnaves of Coonawarra	Balnaves Chardonnay	2016	83		
154	21	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines Coonawarra Chardonnay	2016	89	Bronze	
155	22	Jamiesons Run	Jamiesons Run Chardonnay	2016	89	Bronze	
156	23	Banks Thargo Wines	Banks Thargo Chardonnay	2016	84		



CHARDONNAY

CLASS 20 - CHARDONNAY: 2-3 YRS OLD (2015-14)

Judges: Wendy, Sarah, Emma Associate Judges: Lauren, Amy

Judges Comments: Wines lacked complexity, intensity and balance. Unfortunately these were not a great examples with finesse lacking. With such a lot of competition, wines need to have more finesse and interest to be awarded gold medals.

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
157	1	Balnaves of Coonawarra	Balnaves Chardonnay	2015	91	Silver	
158	2	Browns Of Padthaway Wines	Browns Of Padthaway Family Reserve Melba Lilian	2015	84		
159	3	Morambro Creek Pty Ltd	Morambro Creek Chardonnay	2015	85	Bronze	
160	4	Hollick Estates	Hollick Estates Bond Road Chardonnay	2015	88	Bronze	
161	5	Cellarmasters	Black Wattle Mount Benson Chardonnay	2015	90	Silver	
162	6	Jack Estate	Jack Estate 2015 Chardonnay	2015	84		
163	7	Grindstone Vineyard	Land of Tomorrow	2015	84		
164	8	Jack Estate	Jack Estate 2015 Mythology Chardonnay	2015	88	Bronze	
165	9	Farmer's Leap Pty Ltd	2014 Farmer's Leap Chardonnay	2014	84		

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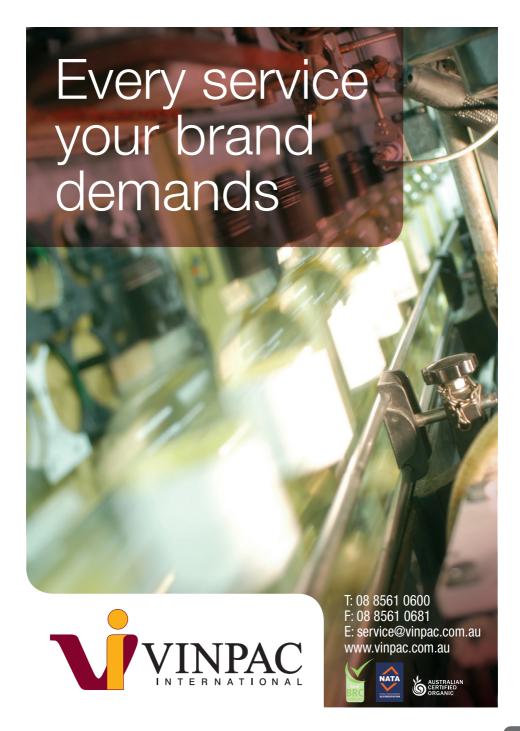
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ROSÉ

CLASS 21 - ROSÉ

Judges: Jane, Sarah, Julian

Associate Judges: Alice, Lauren

Judges Comments: Disappointing class - Rosé should not be an after thought EVER - some wine too sweet, too phenolic and over fined. One shining light - a crisp, crunchy, zesty and bright Rosé - we'd drink a bottle. How about building texture with some old oak? Open canopies - not green fruit - and no overcropping.

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB	SB SV
166	1	Woodsoak Wines	Rani Rose	2017	83			
167	2	Parker Coonawarra Estate	Pinot Noir Rose	2017	88		NB	
168	3	Majella Wines	Melody by Majella	2017	85	Bronze		
169	4	Mount Benson Estate	Mount Benson Estate 2017 Rose Of Syrah	2017	83			SV
170	5	Norfolk Rise Vineyard	Norfolk Rise Vineyard Rose	2017	82			
171	6	Brand's Laira Of Coonawarra	Old Station Rose	2016	75			
172	7	Ruckus Estate	Merite Rose	2017	86	Bronze		
173	8	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree Limited Release Coonawarra Merlot Rose	2017	83			
174	9	Rymill Coonawarra	The Yearling Rose	2017	85	Bronze		
175	10	Cellarmasters	Black Wattle Limestone Coast Rose	2017	86	Bronze		
176	11	Balnaves of Coonawarra	Cheeky Red	2017	82			
177	12	Ladbroke Grove Wines	Cloverleaf Rose	2016	82			
178	13	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines Dolcetto Rose	2017	82			
179	14	Wangolina	Wangolina Rose	2017	90	Silver		
180	15	Petaluma	2016 Petaluma White Label Nebbiolo Dry Rose	2016	78			SV
181	16	Atlas Wines	The Cellar Works	2017	95	Gold		

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SINGLE RED VARIETAL

CLASS 22 - PINOT NOIR: UP TO 6 YRS OLD (2017-11)

Judges: Jane, Sarah, Emma Associate Judges: Sean, Amy

Judges Comments: Very disappointing class with faulty wines, i.e. excessive VA, microbial issues, insipid and lack lustre.

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
182	1	Caroline Vineyard	Caroline Hills 2016 Pinot Noir	2016	83		SB
183	2	Grey-Smith Wines	Grey-Smith Noir de Noir	2016	85	Bronze	SB
184	3	Woodsoak Wines	Pyaar Pinot Noir	2016	87	Bronze	
185	4	Patrick of Coonawarra	Patrick Estate Pinot Noir	2016	80		
186	5	Coola Road	Coola Road Pinot Noir	2015	78		
187	6	Herbert Vineyard	Herbert Vineyard Pinot Noir Barrel No 1	2015	75		SB
188	7	Otellia	Otellia Mount Gambier Pinot Noir	2015	75		SB
189	8	Nangwarry Station	Nangwarry Station Pinot Noir	2015	86	Bronze	SB
190	9	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines Kongorong Pinot Noir	2013	80		

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SINGLE RED VARIETAL

CLASS 23 - OTHER SINGLE RED VARIETIES: CURRENT-2 YRS OLD (2017-15)

Judges: Jane, Julian, Jeremy

Associate Judges: Alice, Sean

Judges Comments: Diverse class and great to judge as a result - however more judicious use of oak needed because great fruit being smothered. Best wines are vibrant and beautiful, finely structured. This is one of the most important classes for the Limestone Coast - keep up the good work:)

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB	SB S	V
191	1	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree Limited Release Wrattonbully Tempranillo	2016	88	Bronze			_
192	2	Wangolina	Wangolina Tempranillo	2016	80				
193	3	Bellwether Wines	Ant Series Tempranillo	2016	83				
194	4	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines Tempranillo	2015	85	Bronze			
195	5	Hollick Estates	Hollick Estates The Gondolier - Barbera	2015	85	Bronze			
196	6	Limestone Coast Wines	Vandenberg	2017	WD				
197	7	Karatta Wine Co.	Lost Ram Syrah	2017	92	Silver			
198	8	Limestone Coast Wines	LCW Merlot	2017	88	NB	NB		
199	9	Terroir Selections	Terre à Terre Cabernet Franc	2015	89	Bronze		S	V
200	10	Hollick Estates	Hollick Estates The Toreador - Tempranillo	2015	83				
201	11	Karatta Wine Co.	Pincushion Malbec	2016	90	Silver			
202	12	Petaluma	Petaluma Project Company Malbec	2015	80			S	V
203	13	Limestone Coast Wines	LCW Shiraz	2017	91	NB	NB		
204	14	Browns Of Padthaway Wines	Browns Of Padthaway Family Reserve Edward Malbec	2015	85	Bronze			
205	15	Leconfield Wines	Leconfield Coonawarra Petit Verdot	2016	96	Gold	(SB	
206	16	Wangolina	Wangolina Lagrein	2016	95	Gold			
207	17	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines Montepulciano	2015	84				
499	18	Leconfield Wines	Leconfield Cabernet Franc	2016	96	Gold			

CLASS 24 - OTHER SINGLE RED VARIETIES: 3-6 YRS OLD (2014-11)

Judges: Jane, Julian, Jeremy

Associate Judges: Alice, Sean

EXHIBIT ENTR	Y EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
208 1	Terroir Selections	Terre à Terre Cabernet Franc	2014	90	Silver	SV
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CLASS 25 - MERLOT: UP TO 6 YRS OLD (2017-11)

Judges: Wendy, Julian, Jeremy

Associate Judges: Alice, Lauren

Judges Comments: Variable quality through the class but best wines were fresh, showed good intensity, length and

integrated acidity. Some looked too prematurely aged.

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
209	1	Leconfield Wines	Leconfield Coonawarra Merlot	2016	91	Silver	
210	2	Norfolk Rise Vineyard	Norfolk Rise Vineyard Merlot	2016	84		
211	3	Pinnacle Drinks	Riddoch Coonawarra Merlot	2016	83		
212	4	Majella Wines	Majella Merlot	2016	95	Gold	SV
213	5	Katnook Estate	Katnook Founders Block Merlot	2015	84		
214	6	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree '8R' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Merlot	2015	84		SV
215	7	Katnook Estate	Katnook Estate Merlot	2015	86	Bronze	
216	8	Majella Wines	Majella Merlot	2015	93	Silver	SV
217	9	Cellarmasters	Black Wattle Mt Benson Merlot	2015	88	Bronze	
218	10	Norfolk Rise Vineyard	Norfolk Rise Vineyard Reserve Merlot	2015	92	Silver	
219	11	Smith & Hooper	Smith & Hooper Merlot	2014	84		
220	12	Otellia	Otellia Wrattonbully Merlot	2014	84		
221	13	Petaluma	Petaluma Coonawarra Merlot	2014	83		SB SV
222	14	Raidis Estate	Raidis Estate, Mama Goat, Merlot	2014	83		
223	15	Smith & Hooper	Smith & Hooper Reserve Merlot	2014	82		
224	16	Ruckus Estate	Ruckus Estate Merite Merlot	2013	87	Bronze	SB
225	17	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree '8R' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Merlot	2013	94	Silver	SV
226	18	Allegiance Wines	Allegiance Wines The Artisan Aged Release Coonawarra Merlot 2012	2012	82		
227	19	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree '8R' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Merlot	2014	87	Bronze	SV

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CLASS 26 - SHIRAZ BLEND: 1-3 YRS OLD (2016-14)

Judges: Jane, Sarah, Emma
Associate Judges: Sean, Amy
Judges: Wendy, Julian, Jeremy
Associate Judges: Alice, Lauren

Judges Comments: Overall, a solid bracket of blends with good fruit concentration - but judicious handling of oak warranted - let the fruit shine! Some hot on the finish. Best wines were balanced and had freshness with well integrated tannins. Well made wines overall showing good regional diversity.

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
228	1	Bellwether Wines	Ant Series Shiraz Malbec	2016	88	Bronze	
229	2	Morambro Creek Pty Ltd	Jip Jip Rocks Shiraz Cabernet	2016	86	Bronze	
230	3	Lindemans Wines Pty Ltd	Lindemans Coonawarra Limestone Ridge Shiraz Cabernet	2015	83		SV
231	4	Casella Family Brands	Young Brute	2015	95	Gold	
232	5	Majella Wines	Musician by Majella	2016	95	Gold	
233	6	Henry's Drive	Henry's Drive Shiraz Cabernet	2014	88	Bronze	
234	7	Morambro Creek Pty Ltd	The Bryson Barrel Select Shiraz Cabernet	2014	81		
235	8	Terroir Selections	Terre à Terre Rouge	2015	88	Bronze	
236	9	Herbert Vineyard	Herbert The Maze Shiraz Cabernets Merlot Barrel Selection	2015	80		SB
237	10	George Wyndham	I Am George Limestone Coast Shiraz Cabernet	2016	97	Gold	
238	11	Limestone Coast Wines	The Hidden Sea The Ritual	2015	86	Bronze	
239	12	Henry's Drive	Pillar Box Red	2015	90	Silver	
240	13	Majella Wines	Musician by Majella	2015	85	Bronze	
241	14	Brand's Laira Of Coonawarra	Old Station Cabernet Shiraz	2015	87	Bronze	
242	15	Penley Estate	Scottsburn	2015	92	Silver	
243	16	Oparina Pty Ltd	Oparina Cab/Shiraz	2014	84		
244	17	Majella Wines	Malleea by Majella	2014	88	Bronze	
245	18	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines Frank Red blend	2015	83		
246	19	Wynns Coonawarra Estate Pty Ltd	Wynns Coonawarra Estate Cabernet Shiraz Merlot	2015	96	Gold	
247	20	Oparina Pty Ltd	Oparina Cab/Shiraz	2015	86	Bronze	
249	21	Terroir Selections	Tapanappa Whalebone Vineyard Cabernet Shiraz	2014	87	Bronze	SV
253	22	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree 'Strandlines' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Cabernet Shiraz	2014	90	Silver	SV
254	23	Katnook Estate	Katnook Caledonian	2015	91	Silver	
255	24	Davis Premium Vineyards	Stonefields 'Arbitrage' Wrattonbully Cabernet Merlot Shiraz	2015	93	Silver	
261	25	Raidis Estate	Raidis Estate, Red Project	2016	95	Gold	SB



CLASS 27 - SHIRAZ BLEND: 4-6 YRS OLD (2013-11)

Judges: Jane, Sarah, Emma

Associate Judges: Sean, Amy

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
248	1	Lindemans Wines Pty Ltd	Lindemans Coonawarra Limestone Ridge Shiraz Cabernet	2013	93	Silver	SV
250	3	Majella Wines	Malleea by Majella	2013	86	Bronze	
271	4	Lanacoona Estate	Eight at the Gate	2013	82		

CLASS 28 - OTHER RED BLENDS (BORDEAUX): 1-3 YRS OLD (2016-14)

Judges: Jane, Sarah, Emma

Associate Judges: Sean, Amy

Judges: Wendy, Julian, Jeremy

Associate Judges: Alice, Lauren

Judges Comments: A very solid bracket of wines. The best wines showed generosity with fine tannins, balance and vibrancy.

Variation of styles - wines were fresh, balanced and very drinkable - we didn't but we wanted to :)

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	2015	83			
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	2015	95	Gold		
awarra Cabernet Merlot	2015	96	Gold		
Cabernet Sauvignon Merlot	2014	95	Gold		
et Sauvignon Merlot	2014	90	Silver		
nestone Coast Cabernet Merlo	ot 2015	87	Bronze		
	2014	83			
nawarra Pyrus Red	2015	97	Gold		
	2014	82			
	2015	89	Bronze		
	2014	87	Bronze		
	2015	95	Gold		
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CLASS 29 - OTHER RED BLENDS (BORDEAUX): 4-6 YRS OLD (2013-11)

Judges: Jane, Sarah, Emma

Associate Judges: Sean, Amy

Judges Comments: Best wines were vibrant and fresh, yet were detailed, had complexity and drive. Yum!

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
272	3	Petaluma	2013 Petaluma Evans Vineyard Coonawarra	2013	83		SV
273	4	Davis Premium Vineyards	Stonefields 'Arbitrage' Wrattonbully Cabernet Merlot Shiraz	2013	96	Gold	
274	5	Zema Estate	Zema Cluny	2013	91	Silver	
275	6	Jim Brand Wines	Jim Brand Family Reserve Cabernets	2013	83		
276	7	Lindemans Wines Pty Ltd	Lindemans Coonawarra Pyrus Red	2013	95	Gold	

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CLASS 31 - SHIRAZ: 1-2 YRS OLD (2016-15)

Judges: Wendy, Emma, Jeremy
Associate Judges: Amy, Sean
Judges Comments: Best wines were vibrant and fresh, yet were detailed, had complexity and drive. Yum!

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EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
277	1	Cape Jaffa Wines	Cape Jaffa Epic Drop Shiraz	2016	95	Gold	
278	2	Caroline Vineyard	Caroline Hills Shiraz	2016	83		SB
279	3	Berrigan Wines	Berrigan Mt Benson Shiraz	2016	90	Silver	
280	4	Cellarmasters	Tolley Regional Padthaway Shiraz	2016	89	Bronze	
281	5	Morambro Creek Pty Ltd	Jip Jip Rocks Shiraz	2016	83		
282	6	Karatta Wine Co.	Dune Thistle Syrah	2016	95	Gold	
283	7	Norfolk Rise Vineyard	Norfolk Rise Vineyard Shiraz	2016	97	Gold	
284	8	Orlando Wines	Lawson's Padthaway Shiraz	2016	90	Silver	SV
285	9	Mount Benson Estate	Mount Benson Estate 2016 Syrah	2016	96	Gold	SV
286	10	Cape Jaffa Wines	Cape Jaffa Shiraz	2016	90	Silver	
287	11	Karatta Wine Co.	Jumping Jack Shiraz	2016	85	Bronze	
288	12	Parker Coonawarra Estate	Coonawarra Series Shiraz	2016	91		NB
289	13	Penley Estate	Atlas	2016	90	Silver	
290	14	Norfolk Rise Vineyard	Norfolk Rise Vineyard Reserve Shiraz	2015	95	Gold	
291	15	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree 'The Gravels' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Shiraz	2015	90	Silver	SV
292	16	Henry's Drive	Henry's Drive H Syrah	2015	82		
293	17	Flint's of Coonawarra	Rostrevor	2015	82		
294	18	Hollick Estates	Hollick Estates Shiraz	2015	90	Silver	
295	19	Jim Brand Wines	Jim Brand 'Jim's Vineyard' Shiraz	2015	87	Bronze	
296	20	Bowen Estate	2015 Bowen Estate Coonawarra Shiraz	2015	85	Bronze	
297	21	Redman Wines	Redman Shiraz	2015	86	Bronze	
298	22	Wynns Coonawarra Estate Pty Ltd	Wynns Coonawarra Estate Black Label Shiraz	2015	93	Silver	
299	23	Jim Brand Wines	Brand Group 'Glenroy' Single Vineyard Shiraz	2015	81		SB
300	24	Katnook Estate	Katnook Estate, Shiraz	2015	93	Silver	
301	25	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines Coonawarra Shiraz	2015	92	Silver	
302	26	Jim Brand Wines	Brand Group CBD Shiraz	2015	84		SB
303	27	Bellwether Wines	Ant Series Shiraz	2015	83		
304	28	Pinnacle Drinks	Parker Estate Shiraz	2015	96	Gold	
305	29	Wangolina	Spectrum Syrah	2015	84		SB
306	30	Limestone Coast Wines	The Hidden Sea	2015	89	Bronze	
307	31	Brand's Laira Of Coonawarra	Stentiford's Shiraz	2015	87	Bronze	



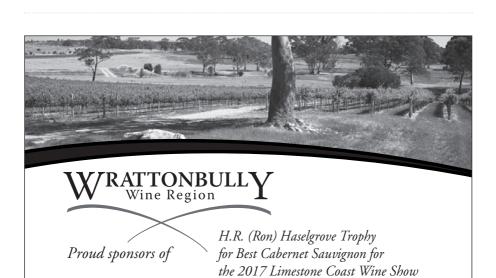
CLASS 31 - SHIRAZ: 1-2 YRS OLD (2016-15)

Judges: Jane, Julian, Jeremy

Associate Judges: Alice, Sean

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
308	32	Morambro Creek Pty Ltd	Morambro Creek Shiraz	2015	94	Silver	
309	33	Redman Wines	Redman 'The Last Row' Shiraz	2015	95	Gold	SV
310	34	Cellarmasters	Black Wattle Mount Benson Shiraz	2015	86	Bronze	
311	35	Henry's Drive	Pillar Box Shiraz	2015	88	Bronze	
312	36	Pinnacle Drinks	Riddoch Coonawarra Shiraz	2015	96	Gold	
313	37	Balnaves of Coonawarra	Balnaves Shiraz	2015	87	Bronze	SV
314	38	Brand's Laira Of Coonawarra	Tall Vines Shiraz	2015	88	Bronze	

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CLASS 31 - SHIRAZ: 1-2 YRS OLD (2016-15)

Judges: Jane, Julian, Jeremy

Associate Judges: Alice, Sean

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
315	39	Wangolina	Wangolina Single Vineyard Syrah	2015	88	Bronze	SV
316	40	Rymill Coonawarra	Classic Shiraz	2015	94	Silver	
317	41	Majella Wines	Majella Shiraz	2015	83		
318	42	Jack Estate	Jack Estate 2015 Shiraz	2015	89	Bronze	
319	43	Jacob's Creek	Jacob's Creek Reserve Limestone Coast Shiraz	2016	90	Silver	
320	44	Giggling Goose Wines	Giggling Goose Single Vineyard Shiraz	2015	88	Bronze	SV
321	45	Katnook Estate	Katnook Founders Block Shiraz	2015	85	Bronze	





CLASS 32 - SHIRAZ: 3 YRS OLD (2014)

Judges: Wendy, Sarah, Emma

Associate Judges: Lauren, Amy

Judges Comments: Lack of exciting styles. Wines need more personality. Need to push the boundaries a bit more. Best wines showed vibrant fruit and balanced tannins. Reduction and astringent tannins a problem overall in lower scored wines.

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
322	1	Jim Brand Wines	Jim Brand 'Jim's Vineyard' Shiraz	2014	91	Silver	
323	2	Cellarmasters	Black Wattle Mount Benson Shiraz	2014	87	Bronze	
324	3	Redman Wines	Redman Shiraz	2014	83		
325	4	Malone Wines	Malone Shiraz	2014	94	Silver	SV
326	5	Jim Brand Wines	Brand Group CBD Shiraz	2014	80		SB
327	6	Henry's Drive	Henry's Drive Shiraz	2014	95	Gold	
328	7	Tidswell Wines	Tidswell Wines Heathfield Shiraz	2014	84		
329	8	Raidis Estate	Raidis Estate, Wild Goat, Shiraz	2014	86	Bronze	
330	9	Farmer's Leap Pty Ltd	2014 Random Shot Shiraz	2014	85	Bronze	
331	10	Balnaves of Coonawarra	Balnaves Shiraz	2014	92	Silver	SV
332	11	Jim Brand Wines	Brand Group 'Glenroy' Single Vineyard Shiraz	2014	82		
333	12	Pioneer Wine Group	lus Wines Lynch Road Shiraz	2014	84		
334	13	Farmer's Leap Pty Ltd	2014 Farmer's Leap Shiraz	2014	87	Bronze	
335	14	Zema Estate	Zema Estate Shiraz	2014	75		
336	15	Terroir Selections	Terre à Terre Shiraz	2014	87	Bronze	SV
337	16	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree 'The Gravels' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Shiraz Viognier	2014	93	Silver	SV
345	17	Henry's Drive	Henry's Drive Magnus Shiraz	2014	96	Gold	

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CLASS 33 - SHIRAZ: 4-6 YRS OLD (2013-11)

Judges: Jane, Julian, Jeremy Associate Judges: Alice, Sean Judges: Wendy, Sarah, Emma Associate Judges: Lauren, Amy

Judges Comments: Disappointing to have so many wines with no award. Too many wines affected by Brettanomyces or other

faults. The best wines had depth of flavour, good fruit and balance. Alas, a tough class.

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
338	1	Jim Brand Wines	Jim Brand 'Jim's Vineyard' Shiraz	2013	91	Silver	
339	2	Farmer's Leap Pty Ltd	2013 Farmer's Leap 'The Brave' Shiraz	2013	84		
340	3	Jim Brand Wines	Jim Brand 'Glenroy' Single Vineyard Shiraz	2013	88	Bronze	
341	4	Terramore Wines	Terramore Wines 2	2013	92	Silver	
342	5	Orlando Wines	Lawson's Padthaway Shiraz	2013	95	Gold	SV
343	6	Browns Of Padthaway Wines	Browns Of Padthaway T-Trellis Shiraz	2013	82		
344	7	Casella Family Brands	Casella 1919 Shiraz	2013	95	Gold	
346	9	Farmer's Leap Pty Ltd	2013 Farmer's Leap Shiraz	2013	85	Bronze	
347	10	Malone Wines	Malone Shiraz	2013	85	Bronze	SV
348	11	Redman Wines	Redman Shiraz	2013	83		
349	12	Orlando Wines	Lawson's Padthaway Shiraz	2012	97	Gold	SV
350	13	Zema Estate	Zema Estate Shiraz	2013	86	Bronze	
351	14	Patrick of Coonawarra	Patrick 'Joanna' Shiraz	2012	91	Silver	
352	15	Terramore Wines	Terramore Wines 1	2012	83		
353	16	Ladbroke Grove Wines	Ladbroke Grove Wines Reserve Shiraz	2012	75		
354	17	Hoggies Estate Wines	Olivia 2013 Coonawarra Shiraz	2013	82		
355	18	Jack Estate	Jack Estate 2013 Mythology Shiraz	2013	96	Gold	
356	19	Casella Family Brands	Casella Limited Release Shiraz	2013	89	Bronze	
357	20	Zema Estate	Family Selection Shiraz	2013	78		
358	21	Hoggies Estate Wines	Kopparossa Estate 2012 Vintage Reserve Coonawarra Shiraz	2012	79		
359	22	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree 'The Gravels' Single Vineyard Shiraz Viognier	2013	95	Gold	SV
360	23	Katnook Estate	Katnook Prodigy	2012	84		



CLASS 34 - CABERNET SAUVIGNON: 1-2 YRS OLD (2016-15)

 Judges: Jane, Sarah, Julian
 Associate Judges: Alice, Lauren

 Judges: Wendy, Emma, Jeremy
 Associate Judges: Amy, Sean

Judges Comments: Fabulous class to judge. Best wines showed beautiful balance of tannins, acidity and fruit. Great details and

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EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
361	1	Mount Benson Estate	Mount Benson Estate 2016 Cabernet Suavignon	2016	82		SV
362	2	Wynns Coonawarra Estate Pty Ltd	Wynns Coonawarra Estate Siding Cabernet Sauvignon	2016	96	Gold	
363	3	Wolf Blass Wines Pty Ltd	Wolf Blass Gold Label Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2016	95	Gold	
364	4	Parker Coonawarra Estate	Coonawarra Series Cabernet Sauvignon	2016	90		NB
365	5	Raidis Estate	Raidis Estate, Kefi, Cabernet Sauvignon	2016	82		SB
366	6	Karatta Wine Co.	Brush Heath Cabernet Sauvignon	2016	86	Bronze	
367	7	Leconfield Wines	Leconfield Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2016	96	Gold	
368	8	The Yalumba Wine Company	Yalumba Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2016	95	Gold	
369	9	Berrigan Wines	Berrigan Cabernet Sauvignon	2016	86	Bronze	
370	10	Leconfield Wines	Hamilton Block Cabernet Sauvignon	2016	93	Silver	
371	11	Redman Wines	Redman 'First Divide' Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	75		
372	12	Norfolk Rise Vineyard	Norfolk Rise Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	85	Bronze	
373	13	Wangolina	Wangolina Single Vineyard Cabernet	2015	95	Gold	SV
374	14	Pinnacle Drinks	Parker Estate Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	83		
375	15	Hollick Estates	Hollick Estates Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	84		
376	16	Limestone Coast Wines	Great Ocean Road Reserve	2015	86	Bronze	
377	17	Pinnacle Drinks	Riddoch Reserve Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	85	Bronze	
378	18	Wood Block Wines	Wood Block Wines Single Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignor	า 2015	91	Silver	SV
379	19	Jim Brand Wines	Jim Brand 'Silent Partner' Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	85	Bronze	
380	20	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree 'Elderslee Road' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	85	Bronze	SV
381	21	Jim Brand Wines	Brand Group Icon Cabernet	2015	93	Silver	SB
382	22	Redman Wines	Redman Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	96	Gold	
383	23	Majella Wines	Majella GPL68	2015	83		
384	24	Brand's Laira Of Coonawarra	One Seven One Cabernet Sauvigonon	2015	95	Gold	
385	25	Morambro Creek Pty Ltd	Morambro Creek Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	83		
386	26	Cellarmasters	Black Wattle Icon Mt Benson Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	88	Bronze	



CLASS 34 - CABERNET SAUVIGNON: 1-2 YRS OLD (2016-15)

Judges: Jane, Sarah, Julian Judges: Wendy, Emma, Jeremy Associate Judges: Alice, Lauren Associate Judges: Amy, Sean

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
387	27	Orlando Wines	Jacaranda Ridge Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignor	2015	95	Gold	
388	28	Petaluma	Petaluma White Label Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	90	Silver	
389	29	Wolf Blass Wines Pty Ltd	Wolf Blass Gold Label Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	97	Gold	
390	30	Allegiance Wines	Allegiance Wines The Artisan Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon 2015	2015	83		
391	31	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	87	Bronze	
392	32	Cellarmasters	Black Wattle Mount Benson Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	86	Bronze	
393	33	Pinnacle Drinks	Riddoch Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	84		
394	34	Flint's of Coonawarra	Gammon's Crossing	2015	91	Silver	
395	35	Jim Barry Wines	First Eleven Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	92	Silver	
396	36	Majella Wines	Majella Cabernet	2015	86	Bronze	
397	37	The Yalumba Wine Company	Yalumba The Cigar Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	96	Gold	
398	38	Allegiance Wines	Allegiance Wines The Foreman Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon 2015	2015	84		
399	39	St Hugo	St Hugo Vetus Purum Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignor	n 2015	90	Silver	
400	40	Cape Jaffa Wines	Cape Jaffa Upwelling Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	85	Bronze	
401	41	Lindemans Wines Pty Ltd	Lindemans Coonawarra St George Cabernet Sauvigno	n 2015	95	Gold	SV
402	42	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree 'Block 21A' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	87	Bronze	SV
403	43	Bowen Estate	2015 Bowen Estate Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	93	Silver	
404	44	Parker Coonawarra Estate	Terra Rossa Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	88	Bronze	
405	45	The Yalumba Wine Company	Yalumba The Menzies Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	87	Bronze	
406	46	Penley Estate	Steyning	2015	93	Silver	
407	47	Banks Thargo Wines	Banks Thargo Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	78		
408	48	Rymill Coonawarra	Classic Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	88	Bronze	
409	49	Leconfield Wines	Leconfield Coonawarra Cabernet sauvignon	2015	88	Bronze	
410	50	Norfolk Rise Vineyard	Norfolk Rise Vineyard Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	84		



CLASS 34 - CABERNET SAUVIGNON: 1-2 YRS OLD (2016-15)

Judges: Jane, Sarah, Julian Judges: Wendy, Emma, Jeremy Associate Judges: Alice, Lauren Associate Judges: Amy, Sean

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB S
411	51	Wynns Coonawarra Estate Pty Ltd	Wynns Black Label Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	96	Gold	
412	52	Henry's Drive	Pillar Box Cabernet	2015	84		
413	53	Brand's Laira Of Coonawarra	1968 Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	87	Bronze	
414	54	Jim Barry Wines	Single Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	90	Silver	
415	55	Wynns Coonawarra Estate Pty Ltd	Wynns Coonawarra Estate Gables Cabernet Sauvignor	2015	96	Gold	
416	56	Rymill Coonawarra	The Dark Horse Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	88	Bronze	
417	57	Jacob's Creek	Jacob's Creek Expedition Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	84		
418	58	Katnook Estate	Katnook Amara Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	85	Bronze	
419	59	St Hugo	St Hugo Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	95	Gold	
420	60	Balnaves of Coonawarra	Balnaves Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	84		
421	61	Jacob's Creek	Jacob's Creek Reserve Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	93	Silver	
422	62	George Wyndham	George The Wizard Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	88	Bronze	
423	63	Mount Benson Estate	Mount Benson Estate 2016 Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon	2016	89	Bronze	
424	64	Zilzie Wines	Regional Collection Cabernet Sauvignon	2016	89	Bronze	
425	65	Jack Estate	Jack Estate 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	86	Bronze	
426	66	Rymill Coonawarra	The Yearling Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	87	Bronze	
427	67	Balnaves of Coonawarra	Balnaves The Tally	2015	87	Bronze	S
428	68	Katnook Estate	Katnook Founders Block Cabernet Sauvignon	2015	88	Bronze	
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CLASS 35 - CABERNET SAUVIGNON: 3 YRS OLD (2014)

 Judges: Jane, Julian, Jeremy
 Associate Judges: Alice, Sean

 Judges: Wendy, Sarah, Emma
 Associate Judges: Lauren, Amy

Judges Comments: Terrific class to judge celebrating the diversity of cabernet across the region. On the whole, balanced wines with detailed fine tannins - lots of deliciousness to be had - Cabernet Rocks!!! Just a note on the lower scored wine - some Brett, a corked wine (why?) and a tired one too - some borderline greenness to the fruit.

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
429	1	Jacob's Creek	Jacob's Creek Expedition Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	95	Gold	
430	2	Mary Street Vintners	St Amand Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	85	Bronze	
431	3	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree 'Elderslee Road' Single Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	90	Silver	SV
432	4	Tidswell Wines	Tidswell Wines Heathfield Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	83		
433	5	Hollick Estates	Hollick Estates Ravenswood Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	90	Silver	
434	6	Flint's of Coonawarra	Gammon's Crossing	2014	93	Silver	
435	7	Cellarmasters	Riddoch Eliza King Sauvignon Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	84		
436	8	Farmer's Leap Pty Ltd	2014 Farmer's Leap Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	90	Silver	
437	9	Majella Wines	Majella GPL68	2014	93	Silver	
438	10	Lindemans Wines Pty Ltd	Lindemans Coonawarra St George Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	96	Gold	SV
439	11	Brand's Laira Of Coonawarra	Blockers Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	95	Gold	
440	12	Jim Brand Wines	Jim Brand 'Silent Partner' Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	92	Silver	
441	13	Pioneer Wine Group	lus Wines Hinterland Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	84		
442	14	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree 'Calcare' Single Vineyard Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	95	Gold	SV
443	15	Kidman Wines	Kidman Wines Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	85	Bronze	
444	16	DiGiorgio Family Wines	DiGiorgio Family Wines Lucindale Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	83		
445	17	Raidis Estate	Raidis Estate, Billy, Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	86	Bronze	
446	18	Zema Estate	Family Selection Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	84		
447	19	Wynns Coonawarra Estate Pty Ltd	Wynns Single Vineyard Dry Red	2014	95	Gold	SV
448	20	Terroir Selections	Terre à Terre Crayères Vineyard Reserve	2014	88	Bronze	SV
449	21	The Yalumba Wine Company	Yalumba The Cigar Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	78		
450	22	Malone Wines	Malone Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	97	Gold	SV
451	23	Cellarmasters	Black Wattle Icon Mount Benson Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	88	Bronze	
452	24	Davis Premium Vineyards	Stonefields 'Block 22' Wrattonbully Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	95	Gold	SV
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CLASS 35 - CABERNET SAUVIGNON: 3 YRS OLD (2014)

Judges: Jane, Julian, Jeremy Judges: Wendy, Sarah, Emma Associate Judges: Alice, Sean Associate Judges: Lauren, Amy

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
453	25	The Yalumba Wine Company	Yalumba The Menzies Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	87	Bronze	
454	26	Redman Wines	Redman Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	75		
455	27	Zema Estate	Zema Estate Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	84		
456	28	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree 'Block 1A' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	92	Silver	SV
457	29	Jack Estate	Jack Estate 2014 Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	89	Bronze	
458	30	Terroir Selections	Terre à Terre Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	84		SV
459	31	Balnaves of Coonawarra	Balnaves The Tally	2014	93	Silver	
460	32	St Hugo	St Hugo Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2014	94	Silver	

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CLASS 36 - CABERNET SAUVIGNON: 4-6 YRS OLD (2013-11)

Judges: Jane, Julian, Jeremy
Associate Judges: Alice, Sean
Judges: Wendy, Sarah, Emma
Associate Judges: Lauren, Amy

Judges Comments: Strong class - as we expected from this show - best wines showed attention to detail in their making with good fruit at the core highlighting the strengths within different vintages. A good range of styles - great to taste - however lesser wines were disjointed, too much brettanomyces, reduction. Some advanced wines too.

EXHIBIT	ENTRY	EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
461	1	Brand's Laira Of Coonawarra	1968 Cabernet Sauvginon	2013	90	Silver	
462	2	Patrick of Coonawarra	Patrick of Coonawarra 'Home Block' Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	93	Silver	SV
463	3	Jim Brand Wines	Jim Brand 'Silent Partner' Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	85	Bronze	
464	4	Terramore Wines	Terramore Wines	2013	88	Bronze	
465	5	Davis Premium Vineyards	Stonefields 'Block 22' Wrattonbully Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	95	Gold	SV
466	6	Allegiance Wines	Allegiance Wines Unity Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon 2013	2013	85	Bronze	
467	7	Browns Of Padthaway Wines	Browns Of Padthaway Family Reserve Myra Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	83		
468	8	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree 'Block 21A' Single Vineyard Wrattonbully Cabernet	2013	95	Gold	SV
469	9	Ladbroke Grove Wines	Ladbroke Grove Wines Killian Cabernet Sauvignon	2012	80		SV
470	10	The Yalumba Wine Company	Yalumba The Cigar Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	95	Gold	
471	11	Cellarmasters	Black Wattle Icon Mt Benson Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	85	Bronze	
472	12	The Yalumba Wine Company	Yalumba The Menzies Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	92	Silver	
473	13	Bellwether Wines	Bellwether Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	95	Gold	
474	14	Casella Family Brands	Casella 1919 Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	88	Bronze	
475	15	Terramore Wines	Terramore Wines FLOW	2013	84		
476	16	Pepper Tree Wines	Pepper Tree 'Calcare' Single Vineyard Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	97	Gold	SV
477	17	Terramore Wines	Terramore Wines	2012	83		
478	18	Wynns Coonawarra Estate Pty Ltd	Wynns Black Label Cabernet Sauvignon	2012	87	Bronze	
479	19	Casella Family Brands	Casella Limited Release Cabernet Sauvignon	2012	90	Silver	
480	20	AR & CS Orton	'Bottoms Up!' Cabernet Sauvignon	2012	91	Silver	SB
481	21	Ladbroke Grove Wines	Ladbroke Grove Wines Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon	2012	79		
482	22	Hoggies Estate Wines	Kopparossa Estate 2012 Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2012	79		
483	23	Allegiance Wines	Allegiance Wines The Artisan Aged Release Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon 2012	2012	86	Bronze	
484	24	Hoggies Estate Wines	Olivia 2013 Coonawarra Cabernet	2013	92	Silver	
485	25	Katnook Estate	Katnook Estate Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	84		
486	26	St Hugo	St Hugo Vetus Purum Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignor	n 2013	84		



CLASS 36 - CABERNET SAUVIGNON: 4-6 YRS OLD (2013-11)

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EXHIBIT ENTRY		EXHIBITOR	COMMERCIAL NAME	VINTAGE	SCORE	AWARD	NB SB SV
487	27	Zema Estate	Zema Estate Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	88	Bronze	
488	28	Orlando Wines	Jacaranda Ridge Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	96	Gold	
489	29	Zema Estate	Family Selection Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	78		
490	30	Casella Family Brands	Casella Limited Release Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	95	Gold	
491	31	St Hugo	St Hugo Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	92	Silver	
492	32	Casella Family Brands	Casella 1919 Cabernet Sauvignon	2012	83		
493	33	Hoggies Estate Wines	Kopparossa Estate 2012 Coonawarra Vintage Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon	2012	83		
494	34	Orlando Wines	Jacaranda Ridge Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignor	2012	94	Silver	
495	35	Otellia	Otellia Coonawarra Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	84		
496	36	Jack Estate	Jack Estate 2013 Mythology Cabernet Sauvignon	2013	93	Silver	
497	37	Balnaves of Coonawarra	Balnaves The Tally	2013	87	Bronze	SV
498	38	Katnook Estate	Katnook Odyssey	2012	84		



The Winemaker's Beer.

EXHIBITORS LISTING

EXHIBITORS	ENTERED IN CLASSES
Allegiance Wines	
AR & CS Orton	36
Atlas Wines	21
Balnaves of Coonawarra	7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 19, 20, 21, 31, 32, 34(2), 35, 36
Banks Thargo Wines	19, 28, 34
Bellwether Wines	14(4), 23, 26, 31, 36
Berrigan Wines	17, 31, 34
Bowen Estate	31, 34
Brand's Laira Of Coonawarra	15, 19, 21, 26, 28, 31(2), 34(2), 35, 36
Browns Of Padthaway Wines	2, 17, 19, 20, 23, 33, 36
Cape Jaffa Wines	
Caroline Vineyard	
Casella Family Brands	
Cellarmasters	2, 4, 15, 17, 19(2), 20, 21, 25, 31(2), 32, 34(2), 35(2), 36
Coola Road	15, 17, 22
Davis Premium Vineyards	
DiGiorgio Family Wines2, 6, 10	0, 11, 12, 13, 15, 17(2), 19(2), 21, 22, 23(2), 26, 28, 31, 34, 35
Farmer's Leap Pty Ltd	
Flint's of Coonawarra	31, 34, 35
George Wyndham	
Giggling Goose Wines	17, 18, 31
Grey-Smith Wines	1, 22
Grindstone Vineyard	20
Henry's Drive	
Herbert Vineyard	22, 26
Hoggies Estate Wines	
Hollick Estates	6, 17, 20, 23(2), 28, 31, 34, 35
Jack Estate	
Jacob's Creek	
Jamiesons Run	19
Jim Barry Wines	



EXHIBITORS	ENTERED IN CLASSES
Jim Brand Wines	
Karatta Wine Co	
Katnook Estate	
Kidman Wines	
La Maschera	18
Ladbroke Grove Wines	
Lanacoona Estate	
Leconfield Wines	
Limestone Coast Wines	
Lindemans Wines Pty Ltd	
Majella Wines	
Malone Wines	
Mary Street Vintners	35
Morambro Creek Pty Ltd	
Mount Benson Estate	
Nangwarry Station	22
Norfolk Rise Vineyard	
Oparina Pty Ltd	
Orlando Wines	
Otellia	
Parker Coonawarra Estate	
Patrick of Coonawarra	
Penley Estate	
Pepper Tree Wines	10, 11, 12, 18, 19, 21, 23, 25(3), 26, 28, 31, 32, 33, 34(2), 35(3), 36(2)
Petaluma	21, 23, 25, 29, 34
Pinnacle Drinks	
Pioneer Wine Group	32, 35
Raidis Estate	
Redman Wines	
Ruckus Estate	21, 25
Rymill Coonawarra	

EXHIBITORS LISTING

EXHIBITORS	ENTERED IN CLASSES
Smith & Hooper	
St Hugo	
Terramore Wines	
Terroir Selections	6(2), 13, 17, 23, 24, 26(2), 28, 32, 35(2)
The Yalumba Wine Company	
Tidswell Wines	10, 11, 12, 18, 32, 35
Wangolina	
Wolf Blass Wines Pty Ltd	
Wood Block Wines	34
Woodsoak Wines	1, 4, 5, 19, 21, 22
Wynns Coonawarra Estate Pty Ltd	10, 11, 12, 26, 31, 34(3), 35, 36
Zema Estate	14(2), 17, 28, 29, 32, 33(2), 35(2), 36(2)
Zilzie Wines	34



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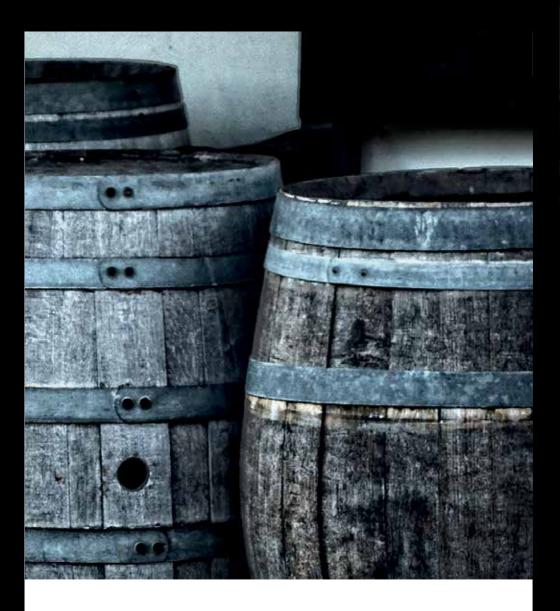
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